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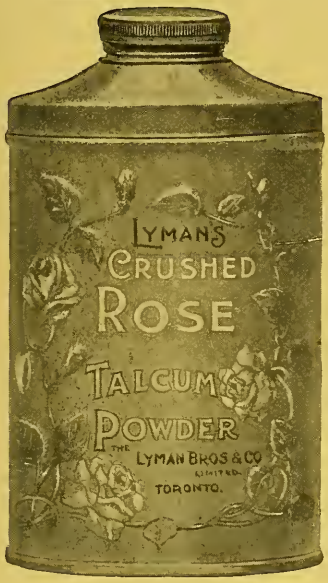

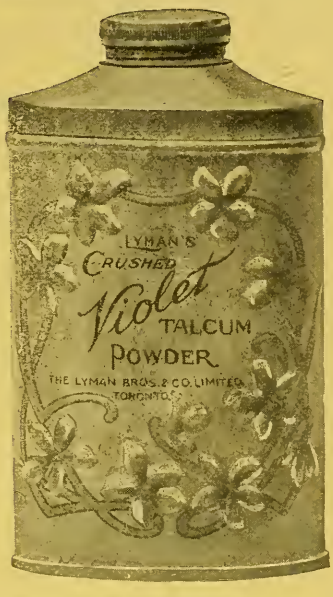

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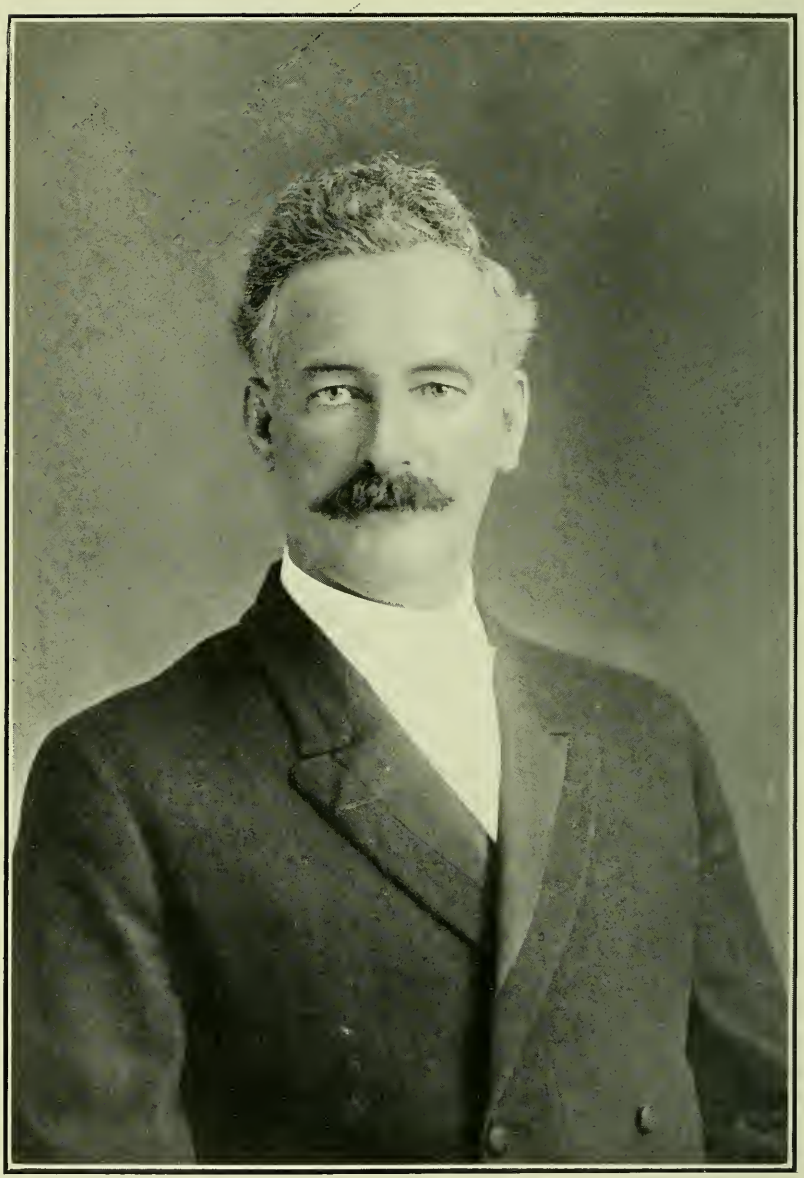

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III.—That this Union is founded on the full recognition of the autonomy of the local churches, and therefore it shall not, in relation to them, assume legislative or administrative authority, or in any case become a court of appeal.

IV.—That the following are the objects contemplated in its formation: 1. To promote evangelical religion in connection with the Congregational denomination. 2. To cultivate brotherly affection and co-operation in everything relating to the interests of the associated churches. 3. To establish a fraternal correspondence with similar bodies elsewhere. 4. To address an annual or occasional letter to the associated churches, accompanied with such information as may be deemed necessary. 5. To obtain accurate statistical information relative to the Congregational Churches throughout the British American Provinces. 6. To hold consultation on questions of interest connected with the cause of Christ in general. 7. To receive and administer such funds or other property as may at any time be given or entrusted to it.

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VI.—That the officers of this Union be a Chairman, General Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer and Statistical Secretary, and the Superintendents of departments appointed by the Union. That a committee shall also be elected annually who, with the officers, shall be the Executive Committee of the Union. The duties of the Executive shall be as follows: (1) To act as an Advisory Board with the General Secretary; (2) To prepare business for and make reports of the Union; (3) To carry out instructions of the Union; (4) To act for the Union in matters which may arise between sessions.

VII.—The various kinds of work of the Union may be committed for cultivation and guidance to departments with a Superintendent and committee for each.

VIII.—That alterations may be made in this Constitution at any annual meeting, providing that notice of such alterations has been given at the meeting preceding, or published in at least four issues of *The Canadian Congregationalist* preceding the meeting.

STANDING RULES.

1. Applications for admission to the Union, whether by churches or ministers, should be made in writing; and after having been read to the Union, shall be referred to a standing committee on membership. Churches so applying shall present a *certificate of membership in the association of their district, or if in territory not organized as an association* the written recommendation of three members of the Union. *In the same manner ministers shall present their certificate of membership in the association within whose bounds they reside or if in territory not organized as an association* the written recommendation of three members of the Union. Ministers bearing regular letters of dismissal from a kindred Congregational organization, and those who furnish evidence of having completed a course of study in the Congregational College of Canada, and having been ordained to the ministry, may be received at once on these grounds. Other ministers shall be required to bring proof of (1) Their membership in a Congregational Church; (2) Their ordination to the ministry; (3) If they have come from any other denomination, their good standing therein; (4) They will satisfy the Membership Committee in relation to their doctrinal and ecclesiastical views and their literary acquirements, *their course of study to have been at least equal to the three-year course adopted by the Union;* (5) Should the Membership Committee be satisfied on these points and recommend the applicant for membership, the recommendation shall be filed with the Recording Secretary, and the application and recommendation shall then lie over until the next annual meeting, when a two-thirds vote of the members present shall be requisite for admission into membership; (6) *By vote of the various associations and the Congregational Union of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick ministerial standing will hereafter be in this Union and transfer to our own denomination in other countries and to other denominations shall hereafter be given by this Union only.*

2. The Union shall meet annually on the Wednesday after the first Sabbath in June, at 9 a. m., when, if the elected chairman be absent, a chairman pro tem. shall be chosen. After a devotional service, minute secretaries and reporters shall be appointed, the Report of the Executive Committee presented, and the Committees on Business, Membership, Nomination and Finance chosen on nomination by the Executive Committee. At 11 a. m. the Union will rise to give place to the Canada Congregational Missionary Society. The Committees appointed by the Union shall meet on the Tuesday previous to the assembling of the Union, at such time and place as may be arranged in conference with the General Secretary.

3. On Wednesday afternoon the Union will hold no public session, in order that time may be given to the work of several committees.

4. The Chairman's address shall be delivered on Wednesday evening.

5. On Thursday morning the Chairman for the next year shall be elected by ballot without nomination. Ballot papers shall be furnished to all members of the Union present, if required, and the votes shall be counted by scrutineers appointed by the Chairman. If no candidate have a majority of the votes cast

the names of two persons having the highest number shall be reported, and another vote taken. The Union will adjourn at 11 a. m. on Thursday in favor of the Canada Missionary Society.

6. The meetings shall be daily opened and closed with prayer; the morning devotional exercises to extend to an hour.

7. No motion shall be discussed unless seconded; no member shall speak twice to the same motion without permission from the chair, and every motion shall be presented in writing by the mover, if required by the chair.

8. The members of the Union shall register their attendance with the Recording Secretary in a book kept for this purpose. The Minutes of the preceding day shall be read at the opening of each day's session, and the Minutes of the last day at the close of the session.

9. One of the services on the Lord's Day during the meetings of the Union shall be regarded as a session of the Union, at which the Annual Sermon shall be preached, and in connection with it the Lord's Supper shall be celebrated. The attendance of the Union is expected at this service.

10. On Monday evening, during the sitting of the Union, a public meeting of the Union shall be held, the programme of which shall be arranged by the Executive Committee.

11. Application shall be made by the Statistical Secretary, one month at least before the annual meeting, for statistics of the several churches, and a brief narrative of the state of religion among them, that he may prepare a condensed narrative of the whole for the annual meeting, and for publication if so ordered.

12. A collection for the funds of the Union shall be made annually in each church, on or near the Lord's Day prior to the meeting. From this source, the Finance Committee, after providing for other necessary expenses, shall pay in full if possible the traveling fares within the bounds of Ontario and Quebec of each ministerial member and of one delegate from each church; or if unable to pay in full, shall deduct from the claim of each such equal amounts as may be found necessary; such payment shall not be made until after the final adjournment, except with leave of the Union (providing always that no member of the Union, whether ministerial or lay, attending the meetings shall receive anything for traveling expenses unless such ministerial member shall have contributed not less than one dollar, and the church represented by the delegate not less than five dollars to its funds).

13. The delegates from the Union to corresponding bodies, who may fail to fulfil their appointment by personal attendance, shall address these bodies by letter, communicating in substance such information and sentiments as they would furnish if they were present at their annual convocations.

14. All supplies of pulpits required during the Sunday in which the Union is in session, which are not otherwise provided for, shall be filled by the Nomination Committee in connection with the pastor of the church where the Union is held, and a copy of such appointment shall be posted on the door of the church where the Union is assembled.

15. In order to facilitate the introduction of properly accredited preachers to churches connected with the Union which may require pulpit supply, the General Secretary is authorized to send to secretaries or pastors of churches a list of preachers approved by the Executive Committee.

16. The term of office of the Chairman and Recording Secretary shall be the calendar year subsequent to that in which they were elected.

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" 13-18, 1855	Kingston..	W. F. Clarke	"	.....
" 11-17, 1856	Hamilton.	E. J. Sherrill	"	.....
" 10-16, 1857	Montreal..	E. Ebbs	.....	.....
" 9-15, 1858	Brantford.	F. H. Marling	E. Ebbs.....	.....
" 8-14, 1859	Toronto...	H. Wilkes, D.D.	"	.....
" 13-20, 1860	Montreal..	A. Lillie, D.D.	"	.....
" 12-17, 1861	Kingston..	J. Elliott	"	.....
" 11-16, 1862	Hamilton.	A. J. Parker	"	.....
" 10-15, 1863	Montreal..	W. Hay	J. Wood.....	.....
" 8-13, 1864	Brantford.	T. M. Reikie	"	.....
" 7-12, 1865	Toronto...	A. Duff, D.D.	"	.....
" 14-19, 1866	Montreal..	W. H. Allworth	"	.....
" 6-11, 1867	Kingston..	J. Climie	"	.....
" 11-15, 1868	Hamilton.	R. Robinson	F. H. Marling.....	W. W. Smith.....
" 9-14, 1869	Montreal..	H. D. Powis	"	" .....
" 8-13, 1870	Toronto...	J. Wood	"	" .....
" 7-12, 1871	Guelph...	G. Cornish, M.A.	E. Ebbs	E. Barker.....
" 5-10, 1872	Montreal..	K. M. Fenwick	W. F. Clarke	" .....
" 4- 9, 1873	Brantford.	Enoch Barker	J. A. R. Dickson...	W. W. Smith.....
" 10-15, 1874	Toronto...	J. Unsworth	K. M. Fenwick.....	" .....
" 9-15, 1875	Hamilton.	C. Chapman, M.A.	"	" .....
" 7-12, 1876	Montreal..	D. Macallum	"	.....
" 6-12, 1877	Guelph...	J. A. R. Dickson.....	"	.....
" 5-10, 1878	London...	R. K. Black	"	W. H. Warriner....
" 4- 9, 1879	Kingston..	Dr. Stevenson	J. Wood.....	" ....
" 9-14, 1880	Montreal..	"	"	" ....
" 8-13, 1881	Toronto...	S. N. Jackson, M.D. ...	"	" ....
" 7-12, 1882	Brantford.	George Hague	"	" ....
" 6-11, 1883	London...	C. Duff, M.A.	W. W. Smith.....	" ....
" 4- 9, 1884	Montreal..	J. G. Sanderson	"	" ....
" 3- 8, 1885	Hamilton.	John Burton, B.D.	H. Pedley, B.A.....	G. Robertson, B.A...
" 9-14, 1886	Ottawa...	D. McGregor, B.A.	"	" ...
" 8-13, 1887	Toronto...	H. D. Hunter, M.A.....	"	" ...
" 6-11, 1888	Montreal..	John Morton	W. H. Warriner, B.A.	" ...
" 5-10, 1889	Brantford.	Joseph Wild, D.D.....	"	" ...
" 4- 9, 1890	Kingston..	W. Cuthbertson, B.A...	"	" ...
" 10-15, 1891	Guelph...	H. Pedley, B.A.	"	" ...
" 8-13, 1892	Montreal..	A. F. McGregor, B.A...	"	J. P. Gerrie, B.A....
" 7-12, 1893	London...	E. M. Hill, M.A.	J. P. Gerrie, B.A...	J. T. Daley, B.A...
" 6-11, 1894	Toronto...	W. H. Warriner, B.D...	" ...	" ...
" 5-10, 1895	Hamilton.	J. R. Black, B.A.	" ...	" ...
" 10-15, 1896	Montreal..	S. P. Leet, B.C.L.	" ...	D. S. Hamilton, B.A.
" 9-15, 1897	Kingston..	W. H. Warriner, B.D... (for J. I. Hindley, Ph.D)	" ...	"
" 8-13, 1898	Toronto...	W. McIntosh	" ...	"
" 7-12, 1899	Brantford.	J. W. Pedley, B.A.....	" ...	H. E. Mason.....
" 6-11, 1900	Montreal..	E. L. Yeigh	" ...	" .....
" 5-10, 1901	Toronto...	Prin. George, D.D.....	" ...	W. J. Hindley.....
" 4- 9, 1902	Ottawa...	T. B. Hyde	" ...	" .....
" 10-16, 1903	London...	J. P. Gerrie, B.A.	J. T. Daley, B.A....	J. T. Daley, B.A....
" 8-13, 1904	Montreal..	H. O'Hara	"	" ....
" 7-12, 1905	Toronto...	J. K. Unsworth, B.A....	"	" ....
" 6-11, 1906	Embro....	J. B. Silcox	"	" ....
" 51- 2, 1907	Hamilton.	W. T. Gunn, M.A., B.D..	"	" ....
" 9-15, 1908	Montreal..	Chas. Cushing, B.C.L...	"	H. G. Rice, B.D....
" 9-14, 1909	Toronto...	Hugh Pedley, B.A.....	"	" ....
" 8-13, 1910	Cobourg..	Jas. T. Daley, B.A.....	G. Ellery Read.....	A. Margrett .....
" 7-12, 1911	Kingston..	Frank J. Day, B.D.....	"	" .....
" 5-10, 1912	Montreal..	T. B. Macaulay, F.I.A..	"	" .....
" 4- 9, 1913	Toronto...	G. Ellery Read	G. H. Craik.....	" .....
" 10-16, 1914	Hamilton.	H. J. Horsey	"	" .....
" 9-14, 1915	Ottawa...	G. H. Craik.....	W. T. Gunn.....	" .....
" 6- 9, 1916	Sherbrooke.	E. D. Silcox.....	"	" .....

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TENTH ANNUAL MEETING.

The minutes of the tenth annual meeting of the Congregational Union of Canada, held in Plymouth Church, Sherbrooke, Quebec, June 6th to 9th, 1916.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6th, 1916.

The sessions of the Union opened at 8:00 p.m. The Chairman of the Union, Rev. E. D. Silcox, presided at the Union service.

The Union sermon was preached by Rev. A. Margrett.

The Communion service of the Union took place at the close and was conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. G. Ellery Read, assisted by the Rev. Frank J. Day, D.D., and representative deacons.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 7th.

The first business session of the Union opened at 9 a.m.

The Chairman of the Union, Rev. E. D. Silcox, led the Union in devotional exercises.

The Rev. Dr. Gunn, on behalf of the Union Executive, nominated the Minute Secretaries and various committees, who were confirmed by vote of the Union, as follows:

Minute Secretaries—Rev. A. E. Teale, Mr. T. W. Jones.

Membership Committee—Rev. Dr. E. Munson Hill (Convener); Revs. A. F. Pollock, H. A. Carson, M. H. Sanderson, Churchill Moore, Mr. G. A. McGarry.

Business Committee—Rev. J. Lambert Alexander (Convener); Revs. G. H. Craik, H. D. Whitmore, John Murray, Judge Leet.

Resolutions Committee—Rev. J. G. Hindley, M. A. (Convener); Revs. Dr. Day, E. L. Rice, Dr. Pedley, T. W. Davidson.

Nomination Committee—Revs. James T. Daley (Convener); A. Margrett, Dr. Warriner.

Press Committee—Revs. Henry J. Kilbourn (Convener); J. G. Hindley.

Finance Committee—Messrs. Thomas Moodie (Convener); Frank G. Ellis. J. F. McEwen, Geo. W. Johnston.

The annual report of the Union Executive was then presented by the General Secretary, Rev. W. T. Gunn, M.A., D.D., and adopted.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE OF THE CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF CANADA FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

We meet again still under the shadow of the great war whose darkness rests increasingly on our homes, our churches and our Dominion as the time draws near when the whole forces of our Empire will be thrown aggressively into the conflict. It is the prayer of all our hearts that victory may soon come with as little cost as possible to all the nations in the unreplaceable lives of the fighting forces.

Whatever readjustments of territory and payment of indemnities there may be when peace is declared, for us in Canada there is no territory we desire and our reward must be in the spiritual value to us of the share we have taken in the strife, in the uplifting and purifying of our own hearts and the life of our nation by the great gifts of life and treasure now being poured forth, in broadening the outlook of the hearts of our people and in deepening our consecration to the eternal struggle to bring to pass the high things of the Kingdom of our Lord.

If these days fit us to go forward, laying cleaner foundations for the nation yet to be in our great Dominion, then will our suffering be worth while.

The news that comes to your officers from day to day reveals our own churches as taking their full part in answering the call of King and Country. Of the members of this Union there are in active service Rev. H. I. Horsey, as Chaplain of the 38th; Rev. W. J. D. Gibson, as Quartermaster Sergeant in the Nova Scotia Highlanders; and Rev. G. J. Hindley as private in the 204th Beavers.

Of our ministers who are members of the Union at least nine have sons in khaki, Revs. Dr. Pedley, Dr. Warriner, Dr. Silcox, Dr. Ralph, Dr. F. W. Macallum, Revs. G. H. Craik, J. P. Gerrie, T. W. Davidson, J. Thackeray, and our host of this Union, Rev. G. Ellery Read. Of our members Rev. Captain T. B. Hyde has lost by death his only son, Lieut. Leslie A. Hyde, R.H.A., and Rev. Dr. Ralph his son, Lieut. Bertram Gray Ralph, R.N.R.

Another member of the Union, Rev. E. LeRoy Rice, has qualified for his commission as Lieutenant.

From our churches well over 1,500 men in all have gone, scattered in different regiments. Three of the churches, Winnipeg Central, Bond St., Toronto, and Montreal Calvary, have given each over a hundred men and the wide sharing of these gifts is shown by the gift of twenty young men from the Margaree Valley in Cape Breton on the East and over eighty from our church in Victoria in the far West.

Many of our churches are now practically stripped of their young men.

The hearts of our people have followed the men with loving gifts and no one can number the giving of our people, their gifts of labour and of money to every cause which has helped the men in khaki or the refugees in many lands.

At the Exhibition camp in Toronto Rev. Captain T. B. Hyde has acted as our denominational representative on the staff of Chaplains and his report will be presented to you.

We have joined also with the Methodists, Presbyterians and Baptists in providing booklets for the soldiers, small pocket containers having within two booklets with forms of service, helpful texts and familiar hymns. Of these the first edition of 5,000 for the Niagara camp were quickly exhausted and the second edition of 50,000 is now coming from the press. At present about 20,000 have been distributed. They have been so much appreciated that we are being asked to provide them for all soldiers, even of other denominations.

Arrangements are being made to supply the men at the front also. The expense of these editions has been met through our Young People's depart-

ment, our share of the first two editions being $112.22, and we now have on hand a balance of $17.87 toward the third edition, which will be needed shortly.

THE YEAR AT HOME.

It is with gratitude that we bring to you the record of the year's work which our Statistical Secretary will present. Considering all the circumstances, our people have supported the local church work well and the financial reports, though showing the strain upon our people, bear witness to their steady loyalty to our regular denominational obligations.

Of the matters committed to the Executive we would report as follows: Amendment to standing Rule No. 1: We recommend that sections be added as follows:

7. A minister who has retired from the active work of the ministry and follows some other calling by which he makes his living shall be dropped from the roll unless he make yearly request that his name be retained, this request to be endorsed by the Congregational Church of which he is a member.

8. Any member of the Union soliciting funds from the public must on request of the Union submit either personally or through a responsible Committee a statement of such funds satisfactory to the Union.

The Executive also recommend to the Union that the Executive consist of the officers and six other members and that in order to secure proper representation there shall be elected also consulting members who shall attend meetings when held in their district and shall act as alternates when required.

The Conditional Gifts Committee is not yet able to report.

APPORTIONMENT.

We present herewith the statement of receipts for the various funds for the year 1915-16 and apportionments by Associations.

We recommend the same apportionment for the ensuing year.

Receipts	Quebec Association	$430.00
	Ontario Eastern	98.88
	Ontario Central	216.35
	Ontario Western	223.44
	United Brethren	23.00
	N. S. and N. B.	12.60
	N. W. Prov.	23.00
		$1027.27

APPORTIONMENT AND RECEIPTS OF GENERAL FUNDS FOR 1916-17

Associations	Membership	Home Missions		Foreign Missions		College		Prov. Fund		Union Funds	
		Appt.	Rec'ts.	Appt.	Rec'ts	Appt.	Rec'ts	Appt.	Rec'ts	Appt.	Rect's
Quebec	3078	$3700 00	$2414 81	$2500 00	$1873 76	$1300 00	$938 67	$300 00	$315 95	$800 00	$430 00
Ontario—											
Western	2005	1575 00	1042 60	1600 00	1001 93	450 00	205 95	150 00	135 37	400 00	223 44
Central	2480	3275 00	2025 58	2800 00	1233 31	400 00	268 98	225 00	116 96	600 00	216 35
Eastern	1182	1100 00	557 53	800 00	354 11	400 00	132 08	100 00	77 59	250 00	98 88
United Brethren As..	1014	750 00	450 00	300 00	334 17	25 00	22 00	25 00	10 00	75 00	23 00
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	968	1000 00	347 73	1000 00	240 05	200 00	69 57	50 00	19 00	150 00	12 60
North-West Provinces.	3317	555 00	503 17	1000 00	186 90	300 00	79 65	150 00	1 00	325 00	23 00
Miscellaneous											
Totals	14044	$12000 00	$7341 42	$10000 00	$5224 33	$3075 00	$1716 90	$1000 00	$675 87	$2600 00	1027 27

We have revised the Three Years' Course and now submit it as follows:

THREE YEARS' COURSE OF STUDY.

For Candidates for Ordination who have not taken a College Course and are unable to do so.

FIRST YEAR.

Garvie—"Guide to Preachers."

Dod's—"Introduction to the New Testament." (Hodder & Stoughton).

Fisher's—"History of the Christian Church," Periods 1-3.

Rush Rhees—"Life of Jesus" (Scribner's Sons).

Brown's Outlines of Theology, Introduction, Part 1, Part 2.

SECOND YEAR.

Brown's—"Outlines of Theology." Part 2, careful review; Part 3, Part 4.

Findlay—"Galatians, in Expositor's Bible."

Boynton—"Congregational Way" (Pilgrim Press).

Peabody—"Jesus Christ and the Social Question" (Macmillan Co.)

Wright—"Introduction to the Old Testament."

Fisher—"History of the Christian Church." Periods 4-7.

THIRD YEAR.

Brown's Outlines of Theology, Part 4 Review, Part 5, Part 6.

Horne—"Romance of Preaching."

Kent—"Biblical Geography and History."

Rauschenbush—"Christianizing the Social Order."

Fisher—"History of the Christian Church." Period 8.

Hazlett—"Pedagogical Bible School," Part 2 (Revell).

Mott—"Decisive Hour of Christian Missions."

Necessary changes in this course may be made from time to time by the Executive of the Union.

INTERDENOMINATIONAL RELATIONS.

During the year we have had a request from an interdenominational committee for work among non-English speaking races in Montreal asking that our Union appoint a committee to co-operate with other denominations in this work. We recommend the appointment of such a committee.

The joint meeting for co-operation in Home Mission fields suggested a year ago by the Baptists has not been called owing to the serious illness of their superintendent, Rev. Dr. W. E. Norton.

The World Conference on Faith and Order has held a Preparatory Conference during the year and now ask that we appoint a small committee to co-operate with them in future preparations. We recommend the appointment and suggest that this be left in the hands of the Chairman and Secretary of our Church Union Committee.

Church Union. During this year the Presbyterian Church has taken another vote on organic union with results which will be submitted to you by our Committee.

During the year we were asked by a Joint Committee of the London Missionary Society and the Colonial Missionary Society to consider taking over

their work in British Guiana, but considering our present responsibilities in Africa and our lack of contact with British Guiana felt unable to take over that mission.

We have shared in the joy of seeing the progress in temperance matters in the Dominion and sent to Sir Robert Borden a resolution supporting the resolution for Dominion prohibition then before the House.

The Executive considered the question of the date of the Union referred to it and has arranged in response this series of meetings beginning with the Union sermon and Communion service on Tuesday evening and closing Friday night. It is hoped that in this way the members will, in view of the shorter time away from home, arrange to come at the beginning of the meetings and stay till the close. The Committee meetings begin a day earlier to avoid too great crowding of the regular sessions and the various Societies and allow for a full attendance at all open meetings.

The programme as arranged is submitted to you. We are to have the pleasure of having with us Rev. Dr. David N. Beach, President of Bangor Seminary, Rev. Wm. Pierce of Hale End, London, the delegate of the Colonial Missionary Society, Rev. T. W. Woodside from Angola, and Rev. Hilton Pedley of Japan, and to all of them we extend a hearty welcome.

Meeting east of Montreal for the first time in sixty years of Union meetings we anticipate with pleasure the hospitality of the Sherbrooke church and the sister churches of the eastern townships and pray for blessings both upon our meetings and those who entertain us.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. GUNN, Secretary.

The General Secretary then read a report from Capt. Rev. T. B. Hyde of Toronto on his work as Congregational Chaplain with the troops.

In accepting the report it was moved and carried that the appreciation of the Union for the work done by Captain Hyde be placed on record and that the thanks of the Union be extended to him.

Mr. Frank G. Ellis then presented the treasurer's report for the year. On motion the report was adopted.

Communications were then read as follows:

Single Tax Reform League, Rev. T. DeC. Rayner—which were referred to Business Committee. A letter of greeting was read from the Rev. D. McCallum, and a reply thereto by the Chairman, which was approved. The Rev. Dr. Pedley then led the Union in prayer in behalf of Rev. D. McCallum and his family.

Applications for membership were presented from Revs. P. V. Samson, Arnold E. Gregory, W. H. Hill, R. B. Nelles. An application from Rev. C. C. Claris for transfer from the Congregational Union of Canada to the Orleans County Association of Congregational Churches, Vermont, was also received. These were referred to the Membership Committee.

Rev. Dr. Gunn reported the change of time of meetings, that all the morning meetings would commence half an hour earlier than stated on the program.

Delegates to other bodies then presented their reports. Rev. Dr. Pedley, J. Kilbourn and J. T. Daley on the National Council.

The General Secretary then reported on his visits to the Maritime Union meetings at St. John, New Brunswick.

Rev. Dr. Hill moved "that we express to Rev. H. F. Hallett of Rock Island our sympathies in his severe illness and our sense of loss in that we

cannot have his presence as representative of one of the eastern townships churches that are co-operating with this church in entertaining us this year.'' The motion was carried.

On motion of Judge Leet it was agreed to send a letter of greeting from the Union to all our Foreign Missionaries.

The General Secretary stated that recommendations for corresponding membership of the Union should be made through the Membership Committee.

Rev. T. W. Davidson introduced the matter of representation on the Moral and Social Reform Council for Quebec.

Mr. Geo. E. Williams moved and Judge Leet seconded ''that representatives of the Union be appointed to the Quebec Branch of the Dominion Alliance. This was referred to the Nomination Committee.

Rev. Dr. Day reported for the Social Service Committee of the Union and the work of the Social Service Council.

Judge Leet introdnced the question of the foreign population of Canada. On motion the matter was referred to the Business Committee.

On motion the Union was adjourned to give place to the Canada Congregational Missionary Society.

At 11:30 the Union was called to order by the Chairman for the devotional hour, at which the Rev. T. W. Davidson gave the first of a series of addresses on ''The Higher Ministries of Life,'' entitled ''The Ministry of Thought.'' The session closed at 12:30.

The evening session was held at 8:00 p.m., when an address of welcome was delivered by the pastor of the Plymouth Church, Rev. G. Ellery Read, and the annual address of the Chairman was delivered by Rev. E. D. Silcox.

THURSDAY, 9:00 A.M.

The session of the Union opened at 9:00 a.m. After devotions by the Chairman, the minutes of the previous sessions were read and adopted.

The recommendations of the Business Committee were then adopted, viz.:

(1). With reference to the communication and petition presented to the Union through Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner we recommend that the petition be received and that our churches be urged to a deeper study of God's Word in order to discover His message to us through the great tragedy of the war.

(2). We further recommend that at the close of Rev. A. Margrett's report Mr. Geo. Wiliams be given ten minutes to present the problem of work among the foreign races in our cities.

(3). We recommend that this Union session be extended to 11:00 a.m. and that Dr. Warriner present his report on Church Union.

The report of the Nomination Committee was then presented and adopted as follows:

General Secretary—Rev. W. T. Gunn, M.A., D.D.

Recording Secretary—Rev. R. Wilson Carr.

Treasurer—Mr. Frank G. Ellis.

Statistical Secretary—Rev. Albert Margrett.

Executive Committee—The officers, together with Revs. Hugh Pedley, D.D., F. J. Day, D.D., W. H. Warriner, D.D., James T. Daley, G. E. Read, and J. G. Hindley.

Consulting members of the Executive who may also be alternates—Rev. G. H. Craik, T. W. Davidson, H. A. Carson, A. F. Pollock, E. L. Rice, B. H. Stauffer, M. H. Sanderson, W. E. Gilroy, Messrs. A. McA. Murphy, Judge Leet, Geo. A. Moore, George McGarry, H. W. Barker, W. E. Booth, Dr. M. H. Haight.

Union Preacher—Rev. G. Ellery Read; alternate, Rev. Joseph Thackeray.

Committee on Church Union—Revs. Hugh Pedley, D.D. (Convener); W. H. Warriner, D.D., E. Munson Hill, D.D., F. J. Day, D.D., W. T. Gunn, D.D., James T. Daley, E. D. Silcox, A. Margrett, J. Thackeray, Wm. Hipkin, J. W. Newbery, G. Ellery Read, A. F. Pollock, B. H. Stauffer, G. H. Craik, W. E. Gilroy, J. G. Hindley, Matthew Kelly, H. A. Carson, T. W. Davidson, J. L. Alexander; Messrs. J. R. Dougall, T. B. Macaulay, Judge Leet, D. O. Wood, Henry O'Hara and Arthur Wickson, with power to add to their number.

Department of Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies—Revs. H. J. Kilbourn, B.A. (Superintendent); H. A. A. Carson, H. D. Whitmore, E. LeRoy Rice, Mr. T. W. Jones, Mrs. Newton.

Representatives on College Senate—Revs. G. H. Craik, F. J. Day, D.D., Mr. W. H. Smith, Dr. F. A. Stevenson.

Social Service Committee—Revs. F. J. Day, D.D (Convener); C. J. Copp, M.D., E. D. Silcox, W. T. Gunn, D.D., W. E. Gilroy, B. H. Stauffer and D. O. Wood. (The first three members to be our representatives on Social Service.)

Co-operation with other churches as to Missionary work—Revs. W. T. Gunn, D.D. (Convener); Hugh Pedley, D.D., F. J. Day, D.D.

Delegates to Maritime Union—Revs. W. T. Gunn, D.D., G. E. Read.

Layman's Missionary Movement—Mr. W. H. Barker (Convener); C. McD. Hay, D. O. Wood, G. E. Williams.

Representatives on Council of Dominion Alliance—Revs. E. D. Silcox, M. H. Sanderson, J. G. Hindley, A. Margrett.

Representatives on Quebec Branch of Dominion Alliance—Revs. T. W. Davidson, A. F. Pollock, and Judge Leet.

Publication Committee—Dr. C. J. Copp (Convener); Revs. Dr. Gunn, J. G. Hindley, A. Margrett, Messrs. H. W. Copp, F. J. Smith, Robert Wightman, Henry O'Hara.

Representative on Interdenominational Council for Work Among non-English Speaking Races in Montreal—Rev. Dr. Hill.

The application of Rev. A. E. Teale for admission to the Union was referred to the Membership Committee.

The election of Chairman for 1917 was then proceeded with and resulted in the election of Rev. A. F. Pollock, B.D.

Judge Leet moved and Rev. H. D. Whitmore seconded "That it is advisable to create a Department of Finance to be presided over by a superintendent assisted by a committee selected by the different associations. That its duties be: to study the questions relating to church and denominational finance; to correlate the budgets and manner of raising the same of our several organizations; to study and advise as to special efforts by the Union or the societies in relation to special efforts; to study and advise as to the best methods of dealing with the finance of the local church."

Mr. A. McA. Murphy moved an amendment that a clause be added to the motion "That the Union Committee be that Committee." The motion was then adopted.

The Rev. A. Margrett then presented the Statistical Report for the year, which was adopted as follows:

Churches, 126; preaching stations, 41. Total 167.

Under pastoral care, 33,035; received on confession of faith, 723; membership, 14,044; value of church property, $2,296,910; amount of debt on property, $295,934.21; amount raised for all purposes, $236,469.61; amount raised for home missions, $7,068.18; amount raised for foreign missions, $5,855.28; amount raised for Woman's Board, $5,224.00; amount raised for College, $1,883.00; amount raised for Union, $1,201.43; amount raised for Provident Fund, $763.09; Sunday School teachers and officers, 1,304; scholars on roll, 10,322; money raised, $12,470.18; united with church, 255; Young People's Society membership, 1,682; amount raised, $2,587.61; united with church, 112.

On a further motion the thanks of the Union were extended to Rev. A. Margrett in appreciation of his work on the report.

Mr. Geo. E. Williams presented the matter of the foreign population in our cities.

The Membership Committee then recommended "That the following be received into membership now, being graduates of our college and giving evidence of ordination—Rev. Percy V. Samson; that the following be received, as their names have been before the Union for one year—Revs. T. W. Davidson, J. H. Sulston, A. E. Mann; that the following be received as corresponding members—Revs. A. E. Gregory, Wm. Pierce, R. Trevor Williams, David N. Beach, D.D., T. W. Woodside, Hilton Pedley, Mr. W. H. Black, H. W. Barker, D. McColl, F. W. Mottley, M.A., F. J. Malzard, T. Moodie, Mrs. Sanderson.

The report was adopted.

Report of Church Union Committee was presented by Rev. Dr. Warriner, seconded by Rev. Dr. Pedley, and laid on the table.

On motion the Union Session adjourned to give place to the Canada Congregational Missionary Society at 11:00 a.m.

The Union was again called to order at 11:45 for the devotional hour, when the Rev. T. W. Davidson delivered an address on "The Ministry of Comfort."

FRIDAY, JUNE 9th, 9:00 A.M.

At 9 a.m. the Union was called to order for devotional exercises.

The minutes of previous session were read and adopted.

The Rev. H. J. Kilbourn then presented the report of the Young People's Committee. After discussion, the report was adopted.

The Membership Committee then presented the following report: We recommend that the application of Rev. A. E. Gregory be granted after the required probation of one year.

We recommend that the application of the Rev. R. B. Nelles, pastor of our Western Church, Toronto, is regular and satisfactory if a transfer from a District Association in one of the United States is considered as complying with the phrase "kindred Congregational Association."

The Rev. David N. Beach, D.D., President of Bangor Theological Seminary, stated that "Membership in the District Association carries with it also membership in the State Association."

We recommend that the application of the Rev. W. H. Hill is of the same nature except that the blank form prepared and used by his District Association has not been completely filled by the Registrar. We recommend that the Executive return it to the Registrar for such completion, and in case of a satisfactory reply the name of Mr. Hill shall be written upon our Roll.

We recommend that a letter of transfer be given to the Rev. C. C. Claris to the Orleans County Association of the State of Vermont.

We recommend that membership in the Union be accorded to the Rev. G. J. Hindley, who has been pastor of our Mission Church in Landis, Sask., since his graduation and who is now going on Overseas Service for the Empire, if he desires it.

The recommendations were then severally moved and carried.

The adoption of the report as a whole was moved by Dr. Hill and carried.

Mr. Geo. McGarry, in behalf of Calvary Church, Montreal, invited the Union to meet there next year, 1917. The motion was carried.

The Rev. G. E. Read expressed regrets felt by the Revs. W. E. Gilroy and H. F. Hallet at inability to be present.

The Rev. Wm. Pierce, of Hale End, London, England, then conveyed greetings from Colonial Missionary Society, England.

The Finance Committee's report was presented by Mr. F. G. Ellis, who moved that a reduction of $5.00 be made in all claims for travelling expenses. Carried.

The Church Union Committee's report, laid on the table, was adopted.

The Publishing Committee's annual report was presented by Dr. Copp and adopted.

Dr. E. M. Hill moved that at the end of the devotional hour twenty minutes be given to prayer.

The Rev. W. T. Gunn, D.D., moved that the business of the Union be adjourned until the close of the College Session this afternoon.

The Rev. T. W. Davidson delivered an address on "The Ministry of Interruption." After a season of prayer the Union adjourned at 1:00 p.m. to meet as above.

The Union was called to order by the Chairman at 4:20 p.m.

Rev. G. E. Read moved and Rev. Dr. Day seconded, "That we urge upon the Minister of Militia and Defence the need of issuing some badge or distinctive sign to those who have offered their services to their King and Country but have not been accepted." The motion was carried.

On motion of Rev. G. E. Read the following resolution was unanimously passed: "That we urge upon our Government the most complete mobilization of all our resources in men and material by registration, conscription or whatever method the Government may deem best, in order to aid to the fullest in winning this great war for freedom, and that we pledge ourselves and our churches to the fullest co-operation with the Government in every possible way."

Rev. Dr. Gunn moved that the Executive Committee be given power to change the date of the Union by adding a session to the front of the present order of meeting.

Rev. Dr. Day moved and Judge Leet seconded "That the Union receive greetings from Mr. Henry O'Hara conveyed by Dr. Copp and that they be reciprocated.

The Union adjourned at 5:35.

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 9th.

The Chairman opened the meeting at 8:00. The Rev. J. T. Daley introduced for the Foreign Missionary Society, Rev. T. W. Woodside of West Central Africa.

The Rev. W. H. Warriner, D.D., in behalf of the College then introduced Rev. David N. Beach, D.D., who spoke on "The Claims of the Christian Ministry."

Resolutions were then submitted by Rev. E. LeRoy Rice in behalf of the Resolutions Committee and carried.

Upon motion the minutes were taken as read and the secretary instructed to edit them for publication in the Year Book.

The Union adjourned to meet with Calvary Church, Montreal, in 1917.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH UNION.

Your Committee reported last June that the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada had approved of the amended Basis of Union, and voted to send it down to the Presbyteries and congregations. This was done and the returns received. These returns were somewhat of a disappointment to the friends of union. They indicated a strengthening of the opinion adverse to union. While the 1911 vote showed that 69 per cent. of those voting were favorable, the 1916 vote had only 60 per cent. This, however, was brought out,—that the country west of the Great Lakes, the country where the Home Missionary problem is most acute, was strongly, and in some sections overwhelmingly in favor of the proposed union. In the four Western Synods there was a majority of nearly 77 per cent., and in the two central provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, the percentage was 84.

With these facts in view the Union Committee of the Presbyterian Church resolved to recommend to the Assembly, (1) a resolution definitely committing the Presbyterian Church to union with the Methodist and Congregational Churches of Canada, on the basis approved by the General Assembly of 1915, (2) that the date for the consummation of the union be not fixed at present, (3) that within the period of one year after the close of the war any congregation which gave a majority vote against union be permitted to take a vote of the communicants as to whether they will enter the United Church, (4) that thereafter the Assembly proceed in co-operation with the other churches to secure the necessary legislation, and (5) that the union be consummated as soon thereafter as the regular steps can be taken.

These recommendations are, we understand, now before the General Assembly meeting in Winnipeg.

In these circumstances there appeared to be nothing which called for action on the part of your Committee. Its policy, of necessity, has been, and must still be that of patient waiting until the Presbyterian Church can come to a settlement of this great question. We recognize the gravity of the situation which faces our sister church in the divided mind of its own membership. It is not for us to interfere in any way, or seek by any pressure we might bring to force a decision. That can be confidently left to it under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

In the meantime should they resolve to proceed to the consummation of this union, we recommend that this Union hold itself ready to take all constitutional and legal steps necessary to this end, and that the Union Committee be continued, with instructions to co-operate with the Committees of the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches, as may be necessary in the circumstances.

REPORT OF THE PUBLICATION COMMITTEE OF THE CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF CANADA FOR THE YEAR 1915-16.

Your Committee begs to report the publication of the Canadian Congregationalist throughout the year, with the exception of a two weeks' recess during last summer, and two weeks in January rendered necessary by the occasion for making new contracts for printing and publishing of the paper. In September, 1915, Mr. W. E. Mertens, former publisher of the paper, enlisted with an Overseas Battalion, and an arrangement was made with Mr. Alex Anderson to continue publishing until the end of 1915. In January, 1916, tenders were considered from several firms for the printing of the paper, and an arrangement was finally made with Mr. Alex Anderson to carry on the printing for another fifty (50) issues. Throughout the year, Rev. E. D. Silcox has acted as editor of the paper, and in September, 1915, also assumed the position of Business Manager formerly held by Mr. W. Edwin Mertens. The paid-up subscriptions for 1915-16, amounting to $946.91, are $259.11 in excess of the previous year. The receipts for advertisements are $69.44 less than for 1914-15. The Canadian Congregational Year Book for 1915-16 was issued as usual in September, and returns for sales amount to $158.03, or $36.68 in excess of the previous year, while receipts for advertisements have decreased by $30.15.

The attached financial statement shows that we face the new year with a cash balance in the bank of $21.47 and no liabilities, other than our subscription list, while we have assets of over fifty dollars ($50.00). This appears to be a better financial statement than we have been able to present for some years, but owing to the special appeal that was made, and largely responded to, for arrears, new subscriptions and subscriptions in advance, we have drawn largely upon next year's source of income.

Of the deficit of $270.00, which we had to report at the close of 1914-15, the Canadian Congregational Missionary Society has subscribed $115.71 and the Canadian Congregational Foreign Missionary Society has subscribed $77.50. This was in accordance with the motion passed at the last Union meetings, and has been a considerable aid to the Committee in carrying on its work. The Congregational College has not as yet intimated to us whether they will contribute their share of that deficit.

During the year a Young People's Department has been introduced into "The Congregationalist," edited by Rev. Henry J. Kilbourn, Montreal, and associated with him Mr. T. W. Jones of Montreal. This department has added a great deal of interest to the paper, and the thanks of the Committee are due to Mr. Kilbourn and Mr. Jones for their valued services.

In presenting this report your Committee would like to impress upon the Denomination the importance of the publications which have been entrusted to its care, and would urge the generous support of all Congregationalists. The columns of the "Congregationalist" are the natural channel for distribution of the news of the churches. The Congregational Year Book is the authorized source of information regarding the statistics of our churches and, containing the official reports of the various organizations connected with the Congregational body, should have a very wide distribution amongst Congregationalists. Your Committee would suggest that the Union consider some method of giving a wider circulation to this book. Many of the largest churches take only a very few copies and some of the other churches do not take any.

Your Committee desires to express its appreciation to those who have continued to support the two publications, and trusts that the future will show even greater support.

Your Committee having completed the year's work asks for its discharge.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES J. COPP,
Chairman.

H. W. COPP,
Secretary-Treasurer.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

May 31st, 1916.

YEAR BOOK.

RECEIPTS.

Balance June 1st, 1915	$ 4.07	
Sales	158.03	
Printing Reports of Societies	304.25	
Advertisements	221.00	
		$ 687.35

DISBURSEMENTS.

Sundries and Exchange	$ 2.25	
Editor	115.25	
Printer	411.60	
		$ 529.10

CANADIAN CONGREGATIONALIST.

RECEIPTS.

Balance June 1st, 1915	$ 13.29	
C. C. Missionary Society	300.00	
C. C. Foreign Missionary Society	200.00	
C. C. Foreign Missionary Society for last year's deficit	77.50	
C. C. Missionary Society for last year deficit	115.71	
Congregational College	200.00	
Sundries and Special Subscriptions	65.78	
Subscriptions	946.91	
Advertisements	109.71	
		$2,028.90

DISBURSEMENTS.

Postage and Exchange, etc	$ 61.90	
Electros	4.25	
Stationery	6.75	
Editor	420.00	
Printer	1,672.78	
		$2,165.68
Year Book Receipts	$ 687.35	
C. Congregationalist receipts	2,028.90	
		$2,716.25
Year Book disbursements	$ 529.10	
C. Congregationalist disbursements	2,165.68	
Cash in Bank	21.47	
		$2,716.25

Audited and found correct, June 5th, 1916.

E. J. JOSELIN.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from previous year			$508 36
Salary Guarantee Account:			
Amounts contributed by the following funds under their guarantee covering Salary and Expenses of General Secretary:			
Canada Congregational Missionary Society		$1,021 66	
Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society		351 66	
Canada Congregational College		246 48	
Congregational Provident Fund Society		31 83	
			1,651 63
Contributions from Churches:			
Quebec Association		$430 00	
Ontario East	$ 98 88		
Toronto District	216 35		
Western Ontario Association	223 44		
		538 67	
Western Provinces		23 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick		12 60	
United Brethren		23 00	
			1,027 27
Collections, Union Meetings		24 60	
Ministerial Fees		7 00	
Bank Interest		1 42	
			33 02
			$3,220 28

DISBURSEMENTS.

By General Secretary:	
Salary and Travelling Expenses	$2,275 03
Executive Expenses:	
Travelling Expenses to Union Meeting and Executive Conferences	180 85
Union Travelling Expenses:	
Refunded Delegates	133 65
Stationery, Printing and Postage	48 59
Proportion of Year Book	132 00
Honorarium, Statistical Secretary	25 00
Young People's Dept.	14 35
Total Disbursements	2,808 97
Balance on hand	411 31
	$3,220 28

FRANK G. ELLIS,
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct,

THOS. MOODIE,
Auditor.

WITH THE SOLDIERS AT EXHIBITION CAMP.

During last fall it was realized that indiscriminate work amongst the soldiers in Camp was not the most desirable way of reaching the men in connection with their religious life. This decision was come to for reasons that I need not state. Consequently the Camp was not open to general visitation, and, in order to provide for the religious oversight of the men, it was arranged that five ministers representing their respective denominations should be appointed as Assistant Camp Chaplains with the honorary rank of Captain, their services to be rendered on a voluntary basis, without expense to the public. I was chosen as one of the five to represent the Congregational body, and have had the privilege of serving in this capacity up to the present time. As may be readily seen, this has offered an unusual opportunity for Christian service in presenting the Gospel to the thousands of men who have been in Camp.

The particular duties assigned to the Assistant Chaplains have been:—first; the oversight of the men in all units connected with his own particular denomination; second: Hospital visitation; third: the conduct of Church parade services on Sunday morning; fourth: Hospital services later on Sunday morning; and fifth: special services during the week in barrack rooms and personal dealing with the men.

During the progress of the Camp, a number of new units coming into quarters having no appointed Chaplains, it became necessary for the Assistant Chaplains to undertake this duty with them. On this account, I was appointed as Acting Chaplain with the 12th Artillery Brigade, with which I am still connected.

During the season, in addition to the regular Sunday parade service, we have conducted gatherings for evening worship in the men's quarters, and have arranged and carried out several social evening entertainments both in our own canteen quarters, and also in the larger building of the Y.M.C.A. These

meetings have been greatly appreciated and enjoyed by the men, and have opened the way for mutual acquaintance and helpfulness. The responsiveness of the members of the Brigade, from the Officer Commanding to the youngest recruit, has been most considerate and appreciative, and the Acting Chaplain has received many expressions of appreciation for the helpfulness of the service he has been able to render.

Camp life is a new experience for all of us, and has its advantages as well as its drawbacks. Our young men are offering themselves freely and fully for this great undertaking in the defence of our Empire, and, leaving homes of comfort and luxury in many cases, they all share alike in the uniform and somewhat severe simplicity of the soldiers' quarters. For a young fellow who has been accustomed to all the ease and comfort of a well-to-do home, to have to sleep on two blankets and a board, and take his meals in the mess-room off tin dishes and an oil-cloth covered table, is to be brought face to face with the first elements of self-denial, and he finds that this fact runs all through the military experience. In view of this, it is encouraging to discover that there is practically no complaint, and that our boys are enduring these conditions with splendid cheerfulness. This helps to bring all on an equal basis, and binds the men in their purpose to face the duties of the situation on a common level.

In order to contribute a little in relieving the monotony of barrack life, we have secured a well-selected library of a couple of hundred volumes, which is at the men's disposal, and have furnished a continuous supply of magazines from week to week. In addition to this we were fortunate in securing a first-class Victrola with a number of records that are in almost constant use.

This work will continue through the summer, though the men will be moved to new quarters for their further training. The Artillery Brigade goes to Petawawa, Ont., prior to departure for overseas, other units go to Niagara and the new Camp Borden, near Lake Simcoe, Ont. In all of these points the men will be followed by the Y.M.C.A., which has done and continues to do such splendid service for the material, social, and spiritual interests of the men. In fact it would be difficult to see how the needs of the men could be met, were it not for the efficiency of this far-reaching organization.

T. Bradly Hyde.

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM CHURCHES.

QUEBEC ASSOCIATION.

Cowansville	$16 00
Danville (1915-16)	31 55
Granby	28 00
Montreal, Emmanuel	168 35
Calvary	41 10
Zion	36 00
Pt. St. Charles	16 00
Melbourne	13 00
Sherbrooke	50 00
Stanstead	20 00
Ulverton	10 00
	$430 00

TORONTO DISTRICT.

Cobourg	$35 00
Cold Springs	10 00
Dalston	1 50
Edgar	2 75
Rugby	5 50
Toronto City, Bond St.	25 00
Broadview	7 00
Northern	61 00
Olivet	50 00
Western	18 60
	$216 35

ONTARIO, EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

Brantford	$35 00
Embro	10 00
Forest, Lake Shore	6 00
Forest, Central	6 50
Frome	1 65
Garafraxa	5 35
Guelph	35 00
Hamilton, First	80 88
Lawrence	3 50
London, First	18 72
New Durham	5 00
Speedside	4 84
Watford	5 00
Woodstock	6 00
	$223 44

ONTARIO, EASTERN DISTRICT.

Kingston, First	$25 00
Lanark	15 00
Maxville	20 00
Middleville	3 80
Hopetown	3 46
Rosetta	3 62
Ottawa, First	18 00
Ottawa, Welcome Zion	10 00
	$98 88

NOVA SCOTIA AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Chebogue, N.S.	$3 10
Liverpool, N.S.	1 30
Pleasant Drive, N.S.	1 00
Sheffield, N.S.	7 20
	$12 60

WESTERN PROVINCES.

Victoria, B.C., First	$20 00
Carlton Union, Sask.	3 00
	$23 00

UNITED BRETHREN ASSOCIATION.

Berlin	$7 00
Forks Road	4 00
Gainsboro	12 00
	$23 00

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY FOR 1915 AND 1916.

	1916	1915	Increase or Decrease
Quebec	$430 00	$420 86	$ 9 14 Inc.
Ontario—			
Eastern District	98 88	157 85	58 97 Dec.
Western District	223 44	233 94	10 50 Dec.
Toronto District	216 35	221 96	5 61 Dec.
United Brethren	23 00	25 00	2 00 Dec.
N.S. and N.B.	12 60	26 05	13 45 Dec.
Western Provinces	23 00	24 75	1 75 Dec.
	$1,027 27	$1,110 41	$82 74 Dec.

PERCENTAGE OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO APPORTIONMENTS FOR 1916.

Quebec	50%
Ontario	43%
United Brethren	33%
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	9%
Western Provinces	7%

THE CANADA CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

OFFICERS FOR 1916-17.

Honorary President—Rev. Hugh Pedley, D.D.

President—Mr. William Copp, Toronto.

Secretary—Rev. William T. Gunn, D.D., 33 Victor Ave., Toronto.

Honorary Secretary—Rev. W. H. Warriner, D.D., Montreal.

Educational Secretary—Rev. E. LeRoy Rice, B.A., Kingston.

Treasurer—Mr. Gordon H. O'Hara, 95 King St. West, Toronto.

Supt. of Immigration Dept.—Rev. Frank J. Day, D.D., 19 Edgar Ave., Toronto.

Auditors—Mr. D. O. Wood and Mr. E. J. Joselin.

Executive Committee—The Officers, together with Rev. W. J. D. Gibson, Rev. J. G. Hindley, M.A., Rev. G. Ellery Read, Rev. W. H. A. Claris, and Mr. Arthur Cougdon.

General Committee—The Executive, together with Revs. W. E. Gilroy, B.D., J. T. Daley, B.A., Byron H. Stauffer, J. W. Newbery, M. H. Sanderson, E. Munson Hill, D.D., H. D. Whitmore, E. D. Silcox, T. W. Davidson, M. Kelly, J. Lambert Alexander, B.D., Henry J. Kilbourn, Rev. R. B. Nelles, W. D. Spence, G. H. Craik, Messrs. A. E. Teale, W. J. Bevis, A. Margrett, Thos. Moodie, T. B. Speight, W. E. Booth, Wm. Michener, G. W. Johnson, Jno. Black, S. F. Mosey, E. C. Goodhue, Mr. Geo. Williams.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.—NAME.

This Corporation shall be called "The Canada Congregational Missionary Society," and shall conduct its operations within the limits of the Dominion of Canada.

ARTICLE II.—OBJECTS.

The objects of this Society shall be as set forth in the Act of Incorporation, namely, to plant and to foster Congregational Churches in suitable localities; to aid churches in sustaining their pastors where required.

ARTICLE III.—MEMBERSHIP.

All persons being members or adherents of Congregational Churches, paying two dollars annually into the funds of the Society, shall be members, and those who *subscribe at one time twenty dollars or more* shall be life members. Churches subscribing annually ten dollars or more may be represented at the annual meeting of the Society by one delegate, and churches subscribing fifty dollars or more may be represented by two delegates. Each auxiliary branch contributing annually to the funds of the Society ten dollars or more may be represented by one delegate. The above-mentioned subscribers and delegates shall constitute the membership of the Corporation.

ARTICLE IV.—OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES.

The officers of the Society shall be President, an Honorary President, a Secretary, an Honorary Secretary, a Treasurer, a Superintendent of Immigration may also be appointed. The Standing Committees shall be a General Committee and an Executive Committee. These officers and committees shall

be appointed at the annual meeting of the Society, and shall be members of the Corporation. The General Committee shall consist of the President, Secretary, Treasurer, Superintendent, Educational Secretary, Superintendent of Immigration, Honorary President and Honorary Secretary, and not more than twenty-five members. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Honorary President, the President, the Secretary, the Treasurer, the Superintendent, the Honorary Secretary, the Educational Secretary, Superintendent of Immigration Department, one member from each District Association within the bounds of the operations of the Society, and one from the Winnipeg Congregational Church Extension and Building Society, and these members shall hold office from the date of their election by their various Associations.

ARTICLE V.—DUTIES.

The President shall preside at all meetings of the Society and its committees, when practicable, and shall seek to promote the general interest of the Society's work.

The Secretary shall have charge of the books and correspondence of the Society, shall call the meetings of the Society and its committees, and shall exhibit the records of the proceedings at each meeting.

The Treasurer shall have charge of the funds of the Society, disbursing them as directed by the General or Executive Committee, and shall present annually a full account of all receipts and disbursements.

The Superintendent shall be under the direction of the Executive Committee, to whom he shall report quarterly, visit the churches of the Congregational order within the bounds of the Society's operation with a view of deepening their interest in its work, and of securing liberal contributions for the Society, and shall explore new mission fields, secure missionaries for vacant churches, and have a general oversight of the interests and work of the Society.

The Auditors shall examine the accounts of the Society when required, and make an annual audit of the Treasurer's books previous to the annual meeting of the Society.

The General Committee shall exercise all the corporate powers of the Society, have charge of annual mission grants made to the churches, examine, employ and direct all the missionaries of the Society, and have a general supervision of its affairs. They shall present a report of the work of the Society at each of its annual meetings.

The Executive Committee shall have full charge and power for the administration of the affairs of the Society during the interval between the annual meeting of the General Committee; shall receive all applications from churches for aid from the Society, and report thereon on the General Committee, to whom they shall make an annual report of their proceedings.

ARTICLE VI.—MEETING.

The Corporation shall meet annually on the first Wednesday after the first Sunday in June, at the place where the Congregational Union of Canada assembles. A public annual missionary meeting shall be held on the evening of the next day. Special meetings for the despatch of special business may be called by the Executive Committee at such time and place as may be deemed desirable, provided that a month's notice be given thereof. The General Committee shall hold their meetings at the same time and place as the Corporation, at the call of the Secretary; and the Executive Committee shall hold their quarterly meeting at the time and place it may be agreed upon.

ARTICLE VII.—CHURCH EXTENSION AND BUILDING FUND.

All sums of money specially collected, given or bequeathed for the purpose, together with the proceeds received from the sale of disused church property, shall form a Church Extension and Building Fund, which shall be invested by the Corporation, who may apply the income thereof, by the General or Executive Committee, by the way of loans, or otherwise, for the organization of churches in new fields, and for the erection or enlargement of places of worship where they may be required.

ARTICLE VIII.—AUXILIARY SOCIETIES.

Auxiliary branches of this Society may be formed in churches and localities, to co-operate in the work of the Society. Each branch shall, at least one month previous to the annual meeting of the Society, make an annual report to the Secretary and send to the Treasurer all funds collected on its behalf.

ARTICLE IX.—MISSIONARIES.

Each missionary in the employment of this Society must be a regularly accredited member of a Congregational Church, and shall endeavor faithfully to promote all the interests of the Congregational denomination in Canada. He shall send to the Secretary a half-yearly statement of his work, and furnish such statistical returns as may be called for.

ARTICLE X.—MISSIONS.

Each church requiring a missionary grant by the General Committee must make application therefor through the Secretary, at least one month previous to the annual meeting of the Society, according to the printed forms provided, in which a certificate to the effect that all previous pledges of support to its pastor have been fulfilled shall be inserted. Churches aided by this Society are required to make an annual collection for the funds and to keep their property sufficiently insured, and such churches acquiring property shall have inserted in the Trust Deed a clause providing that in case the church shall at any time be disbanded or cease to exist the property shall revert to the Society.

ARTICLE XI.—RECEIVING AND DISMISSING PASTORS.

Churches aided by this Society are required, as far as practicable, in the settlement and dismissal of pastors, to carry out the recommendations passed by the Congregational Union of Ontario and Quebec, in 1876, in relation to Councils. In cases where this is impracticable, the sanction of the Executive Committee must be obtained before a settlement or dismissal of a pastor is consummated.

ARTICLE XII.—CONVEYING PROPERTY.

The President, Treasurer and Secretary, or any two of them, shall be the duly authorized persons on behalf of the Corporation to convey real estate, and to discharge mortgages, and the Treasurer shall be the duly authorized person, on behalf of the Corporation, to accept conveyances of real estate and to receive mortgages. The Treasurer shall affix the Corporation seal to all documents which may require it.

ARTICLE XIII.—AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION.

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a vote of two-thirds of the members present at any annual meeting of the Society, one day's notice having previously been given of the proposed amendment, in writing.

REV. H. J. KILBOURN.
Montreal.
Supt. of S. S. and Young People's Societies.

NOTICE.

It is becoming more than ever a practice among Christian people to recognize the Lord's portion in their Last Wills and Testaments, whereby, though they be dead, they speak and act in the furtherance of Missionary, Educational and Benevolent objects. American Congregationalists are among the most wise and generous in this day, and have left legacies of blessings for succeeding generations. Among the members of our Congregational churches in Canada there have also been those who have followed a likewise generous course.

For the guidance of those who may desire to make like bequests, the following legal form is subjoined. The amount bequeathed may be devoted specially to the Church Extension and Building Fund, in which case the income only would be used, or may be given for the general purposes of the Society.

FORM FOR A BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to the Canada Congregational Missionary Society, incorporated by the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, A.D. 1885, the sum of $.....out of my estate, to be paid .....without any charge or deduction whatever, and I direct that the receipt of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Society shall constitute and be a sufficient discharge thereof.

SIXTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CANADA CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The sixty-third annual meeting of the Corporation of The Canada Congregational Missionary Society, was held in Plymouth Church, Sherbrooke, Que., at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 7th, 1916, the President, Mr. William Copp, in the chair.

The Annual Report was then read by the Secretary, Rev. W. T. Gunn, D.D., and on motion, adopted.

The Treasurer's Report, in the absence of Mr. Gordon H. O'Hara, was read by Rev. Frank J. Day, D.D., and adopted.

The Report of the Immigration Dept., read by the Superintendent, Rev. Frank J. Day, D.D., was on motion adopted.

Rev. E. LeRoy Rice, B.A., the Educational Secretary, then read the report of his work, which was on motion adopted.

The officers for the ensuing year were then elected, as follows:

Honorary President—Rev. Hugh Pedley, D.D.

President—Mr. William Copp, Toronto.

Secretary—Rev. William T. Gunn, D.D., 33 Victor Ave., Toronto.

Honorary Secretary—Rev. W. H. Warriner, D.D., Montreal.

Educational Secretary—Rev. E. LeRoy Rice, B.A., Kingston.

Treasurer—Mr. Gordon H. O'Hara, 95 King St. West, Toronto.

Supt. of Immigration Dept.—Rev. Frank J. Day, D.D., 19 Edgar Ave., Toronto.

Auditors—Mr. D. O. Wood and Mr. E. J. Joselin.

Executive Committee—The Officers, together with Rev. W. J. D. Gibson, Rev. J. G. Hindley, M.A., Rev. G. Ellery Read, Rev. W. H. A. Claris, and Mr. Arthur Congdon.

General Committee—The Executive, together with Revs. W. E. Gilroy, B.D., J. T. Daley, B.A., Byron H. Stauffer, J. W. Newbery, M. H. Sanderson, E. Munson Hill, D.D., H. D. Whitmore, E. D. Silcox, T. W. Davidson, M. Kelly, R. B. Nelles, G. H. Craik, J. Lambert Alexander, B.D., Henry J. Kilbourn, W. D. Spence, W. J. Bevis, A. E. Teale, and A. Margrett; Messrs. Thos. Moodie, T. B. Speight, W. E. Booth, Wm. Michener, Geo. W. Johnson, Jno. Black, S. F. Morey, E. C. Goodhue, Geo. Williams.

At the session on Thursday morning the meeting was addressed by Rev. Arnold E. Gregory of our Union Colored Church, Montreal, and on the Friday morning of the Union addresses were given by Rev. William Pierce of Hale End, London, the delegate of the Colonial Missionary Society, and by Rev. Trevor J. Williams, pastor elect of Landis, Sas., who had not been able to reach the meetings of the Union till Friday.

Greetings from The Canada Congregational Woman's Board to this Society, and the Foreign Society were presented by Mrs. E. Munson Hill at the meetings of the latter Society.

The meeting adjourned.

WILLIAM T. GUNN,
Secretary.

SIXTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CANADA CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY, 1915-1916.

The Executive bring this sixty-third annual report before the annual meeting with a deep sense of relief and thankfulness; relief that the burdens of the year can here be shared with the representatives of the churches, and thankfulness that under the guidance of God the year has, in spite of all difficulties, come so happily to its close.

The general situation caused by the war, with the withdrawal of so many men from our churches, the increasing pressure of the collapse of the boom in the West, the uncertainty about Church Union, with the chronic demand for men for the ministry, have all been factors in a year of heavy responsibilities for the Executive.

In a survey of our fields there are many reasons for gratitude. In Margaree there has been a good year, and Rev. J. H. Sulston reports twenty of their young men have put on khaki.

At South Maitland Rev. A. E. Mann also reports the churches as holding their own well, in spite of constant removals of the young people. Economy, which has had only supplies for some years, has called Mr. Campbell Travener from the Bible College, Toronto, who will take our Association Course, and who reports a happy outlook.

The Kingsport Church last fall lost Rev. George E. Miller, but secured without any intermission Rev. H. G. Wright of Milton.

Pleasant River, under Rev. G. W. Ball, reports no change. Liverpool has again become vacant, Rev. George Miller, who settled there last fall, having had to send Mrs. Miller home to England on account of ill health, has resigned. St. John, N.B., under Rev. R. J. Haughton, has continued steadily, in spite of several losses.

In Quebec the Fitch Bay field became vacant by the resignation of Rev. R. Wilson Carr, but has again been supplied by Mr. F. Malzard, who will take the Association course under the Quebec Association.

Rev. Churchill Moore maintains a steady work at Ayers' Cliff. In Montreal the Point St. Charles Church, under Rev. H. A. Carson, comes to self support, and in so doing express to the Society their sincere gratitude for the support and help given in the past years. Amherst Park Church lost their pastor, Rev. H. Moule, who went over to the Baptists.

Supplied with a student for the winter, they had hoped to have a settled pastor by this time, but are again under the care of one of the students for the summer, Student Kelly being in charge. Union Church was also without a pastor for some time, but has been happily settled again, with Rev. Arnold E. Gregory, B.D., who has taken hold heartily, and is striving with his people to secure a church home of their own. The Union work at Ste. Anne's has had a good year, under Rev. Norman McLeod.

In Kingston the First Church has accepted our challenge of last year, and the salary of Rev. E. LeRoy Rice, B.A., has thus been increased $200. Their church work has gone well through the year, though feeling the loss by removal and enlistment. Kingston, Calvary, under Rev. Mr. Lyall, reports a good year, with slow but steady growth. Of the Barrie Church, the pastor, Rev. Wm. Hipkin, speaks highly, commending the loyalty and sacrifice of the group of helpers. Hamilton, Immanuel, has sent to active service twenty-four, and feels the absence of these young men, but the church has made financial progress during the year.

Churchill has been well supplied by students of the Toronto Bible College. Stratford has received into membership during the year 39 members, nearly all young people, and Rev. Geo. E. Morley reports the financial problem as still with them. Woodstock has Student Plowright for the summer.

Our Armenian work at Brantford has ceased for the time, as our worker, Mr. Amerkhanian, received a call to the staff of one of the Armenian National Societies in the States. During the earlier part of the year he was able to do a good deal in sending food and clothing to the Armenian refugees who had been able to flee into Russian territory. The Armenian colony in Brantford has been largely reduced, the younger men who attended our services having practically all gone to the States.

In Winnipeg, St. James Park Church lost their pastor early in the year, and were unable to secure a successor. In view of the necessity for a thorough rebuilding of this work, and the expense of sending in a new pastor, it was considered best by the Extension Society to close the church services, and the Sunday School alone is now being kept up under the care of Central Church.

In passing it may be noticed that the Pilgrim Institute has had during the year a Sunday School of over one hundred, and evening preaching services on Sunday. The Sunday School of Central Church has also presented to the Naseby field a new outfit of cutter and buggy for the use of the student. Crescent Sunday School furnished also a new set of harness for the missionary horse.

Brandon continued last winter under supply locally, and is at present supplied by Student Lloyd. Carleton Union, Sas., Dr. Ralph's field, has maintained its services, and increases slightly the pastor's salary.

Rev. W. T. Morris, with the little Welsh flock at Glyndwr, still hold their post. At Landis, the place of Rev. G. J. Hindley, who resigned to take post-graduate work at Union Seminary, and who has since undertaken further work as a private in the 204th C.E.F., was taken for the winter by Rev. Mr. George Reid, who reports attendance and financial conditions good, and that the field is looking expectantly for the coming of Rev. Trevor J. Williams and Mrs. Williams, who, on their way to Landis, are to be with us at the Union. Naseby, closed during the winter, has been opened again with Student Knighton in charge.

In our Swedish work Mr. Sanden resigned the care of the Lewisville church, owing to a desire on their part to join Swedish Covenant Church. They have since applied to that church without in any way notifying us, a poor return for our many years' support. We have so protested not only to them, but to the authorities of that church. In order to avoid the possibility of similar action, the churches at Highland Park and Meeting Creek have both been incorporated as Congregational Churches. Mr. Sanden now supplies these two churches, with Sunday School at Little Beaver Schoolhouse. The Meeting Creek church has not yet been able to secure a good title to their ground, as the original purchaser has not met his obligations to the Hudson Bay Co., but that Company has kindly promised to help the church when they get back their title to the section.

The New Sweden Church, six miles from Wetaskiwin, is already incorporated as a Congregational Church, and reports through pastor C. G. Anderson, "In the church is love and peace," though the weather outside has been "a very cold winter that has hindered the work."

Our Russian-German work has progressed steadily, in spite of difficulties. The country fields have, with last year's good harvest, recovered some of the ground lost in the drought of the year before, and in all cases these churches have assumed more support of their pastors' salaries. Rev. F. G. Anhorn has had a good year at Sunnyslope and its circuit. Rev. E. Bernstein has served a wide field, with headquarters at Irvine, though the field promises soon to build a parsonage at Forres. Rev. H. Treise has served at Prussia, Westerham and Hilda.

For the Calgary church Rev. H. J. Dietrich, one of the more experienced of our Congregational missionaries in the States, has been secured, and he will act as Superintendent also.

At Carlstadt, Alberta, Rev. Nils C. Barrie reports that most of his little Dano-Norwegian congregation has moved away.

Coming back to our English work, the Calgary First Church has had a hard year. Rev. J. L. Alexander resigned last summer, and the church has been under local supply since, though they have now called Mr. P. V. Samson,

a graduate of our College. Their financial situation is still difficult, the purchaser of their old site having paid nothing on it for some time, and has left them to bear the debt on that site, as well as that on the new site and building. Plans for the relief of this situation will come before the Committee.

In Vancouver the situation in the First Church became so pressing that we had to come to the rescue by repaying their over-generous gift to the Kitsilano Church, in the shape of two years' interest on their mortgages. This to the extent of two years' interest we are doing through our Church Extension Fund, taking in return the lien of the First Church on the Kitsilano property. Just recently this has been found insufficient, and the church has appealed to the Society to take over its property altogether. Their difficulties have been increased by the resignation from both church and denomination of the pastor, Rev. J. K. Unsworth, D.D.

Kitsilano Church, under Rev. A. E. Cook, has made a considerable contribution to the cleansing of Provincial politics. In spite of the loss of many members, they have maintained their work, but ask for an increased grant this year.

We have had to come to the help of the Knox Church people, as they were neither able to pay us the sum agreed on as rent for the Grandview site, nor to keep up the payments on the mortgage on their Cordova St. site. It is hoped that an early sale of this latter site will relieve the strain, though at a most regrettable sacrifice.

In Victoria, too, the collapse of the boom has been most severely felt, and to prevent foreclosure we have had to help with the interest on their debt from the income of the Building Fund, and we will have to help with salary as well. The Victoria Church has secured as pastor Rev. Charles A. Sykes, but he has since resigned, and the resignation takes effect this month.

The great difficulties with which these Western Churches are struggling can only be realized on the ground. The financial losses of their individual members have been in many cases tragic; men reputed wealthy two years ago have nothing at all; many have left the country, and burdens which did not seem too heavy when assumed in the flourishing days, are now crushing for the faithful people left. The problem of carrying them over till better times will be on our hands and hearts during the coming year.

THE GEORGE ROBERTSON EVANGELISTIC FUND.

This has been used during the year in helping our Armenian work at Brantford, in paying the expense of Rev. H. J. Dietrich, who will be the Superintendent of our Russo-German work, and in aiding the special services held in Kingston, Calvary, and in Point St. Charles, Montreal.

THE CHURCH EXTENSION AND BUILDING FUND.

The income of this fund only is available, but with the balance from last year, and this year's income, we have been able to assist the Calgary Church to the extent of $1,000, the Victoria Church $500.00, and the Vancouver First Church $2,294.43. In each of these cases our help saved the churches from foreclosure and possible sale. We also gave to the German Church in Calgary some $44.00.

The Howick Church property has been sold and the proceeds placed to the capital of this fund. The Ottawa South Church, which definitely closed last July, has been in our hands, and we are seeking to rent it pending a suitable sale. The Toronto, Zion Church property was rented during the year, and during the tenancy of the Christian Socialist Church, took fire. The damage was slight and fully covered by the amount paid by the Insurance Company. We have had difficulty in renting to desirable tenants, and your

Executive will be relieved when the opportunity comes for sale of this property at a fair price.

The Wetaskiwin farm we still hold, but have made arrangements to sell it after this month.

EXTENSION WORK.

Naturally there has been little extension during this past year, save payments on work already undertaken.

Our total receipts from living givers for the year therefore shows a very considerable reduction from previous years. As far as reported, the totals are as follows:

Home Missionary Contributions, including Woman's Board	$9,209 41
Extension work, Montreal, estimated	1,000 00
Extension work, Winnipeg	1,805 00
Total	$12,014 41

This amount does not include income from endowments, but only gifts made by living givers during the year.

Our thanks are due to the Colonial Missionary Society, and to them was sent an appropriate resolution of congratulations on their eightieth anniversary, held last May. Their representative, Rev. William Pierce, of Hale End, London, we are glad to have with us.

Our continual helpers of the Woman's Board have been busy during the year and contributed to the work not only money, but comforts for the missionaries, and missionary literature and maps dealing with the work in Canada, all help we most gratefully recognize.

The Committee of the Conference of German Congregational Churches in the United States has during the year helped the work in the West by their gifts, and by the presence of their worker, Rev. Mr. Seil, among the fields for several weeks last fall, and this oversight of these scattered fields has been most valuable.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T. GUNN,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY FOR 1915-16.

This year we have again followed the usual methods of stimulating interest in our Home Missionary work. It may be that we suffer from what the editor of the British Weekly calls "grooviness." Special items of missionary news have from time to time been sent to The Congregationalist, a number of these being furnished by our General Secretary, after his visit to the churches of the West.

In January ten thousand circulars, entitled "On the Firing Line at Home," were sent out to the churches, along with ten thousand special envelopes. At the same time a letter was sent to the pastors urging them to observe the first Sunday of March as Home Missionary Sunday, and to faithfully present the claims of the Society to their churches.

During the past two or three years we have made a special appeal to the young people of the churches to assist in the work. In February eight thousand programmes, with envelopes, were sent to the Sunday Schools for use on Review Sunday, March 26th. We are glad to know that each year sees an increasing number of our Sunday Schools contributing to the funds of the Society.

We offered special prizes for the best essays on the subject of "Pioneer Days in Canada." These prizes were won as follows:—First Prize: Agnes Savage, Bethel Sunday School, Kingston; Second Prize, Miss Violet Holt, Welcome Zion Sunday School, Ottawa; Third Prize: Alice Mison, Welcome Zion, Ottawa.

We shall be glad to have suggestions as to ways and means of making this department of greater service to the churches and to the Society.

Respectfully submitted,

E. L. Rice,
Educational Sec.

REPORT OF IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT.

A year ago we reported the inauguration of a plan for co-operative service at the port of Quebec, between the Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists, with the Rev. Wm. Jackson, D.D., as Chaplain. For a period of about six weeks Dr. Jackson pursued his work with efficiency and success, but at the end of that time he was called to the higher service of heaven, and the position was left vacant. The local committee appointed as his successor Rev. Edward Hughes, pastor of the Baptist Church, and for the remainder of the season he discharged the duties of Chaplain. As will be easily understood, these did not prove to be very onerous, owing to the small tide of immigration. Owing to the break in the work the statistical report is not quite complete, but for four months the figures are as follows:

Presbyterians	695
Methodists	229
Baptists	62
Congregationalists	58
Total	1,044

As will be seen by the Treasurer's report the expenditure for this work was very small, owing to the co-operative plan, and it is a source of great satisfaction that no matter how few the numbers of new comers may be, we are not unrepresented among the welcoming forces.

During the winter months we made no effort to supply Chaplains at any of the ports, but this season we are again partners in the work at Quebec. Rev. Wm. Farquharson, D.D., has been appointed Chaplain, and is at work.

Your Superintendent pays at least one visit to the Ancient Capital during the season, in order to keep personally in touch with the work for both Baptists and Congregationalists, who together make one unit in the co-operative scheme.

During the period of the war we cannot expect large accessions to our numbers, but in the meantime we are doing the work required of us and waiting patiently for the good days to come when peace is restored.

Frank J. Day,
Hon. Superintendent.

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st MAY, 1916.

The financial report which is before you shows that the total receipts on account of the General Mission Fund amounted to $13,014.23, as against $14,153.68, the previous year, a decrease of $1,139.45.

The following are the increases and decreases during the past year in the different Provinces, Districts, etc.:

DECREASES.

Manitoba	$ 35 00
Ontario, Western	358 81
Ontario, Central	381 49
Ontario, Eastern	95 23
Quebec	69 87
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	44 51
Personal and Special	464 30
Gorham Trust Fund	22 25
	$1,471 46

INCREASES.

British Columbia	$ 33 72
Alberta	57 80
Saskatchewan	128 15
N.S. and N.B. Branch C.C.W.B.M.	7 41
United Brethren	15 75
Col. Missionary Society	107 71
Interest	47
	$351 01

An analysis of these figures will disclose the fact that all Provinces and Districts, excepting British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan, show decreases, and the increases in these Provinces only aggregate $219.67.

The largest increase in any Province was in Saskatchewan, $128.15, and the largest decrease, in Ontario Central $381.49, (Bond St., Toronto, shows a decrease of $318.00, and Western Toronto $70.40).

The following is a list of the churches contributing $100.00 or more:—

Toronto, Northern	$1,000 62
Montreal, Emmanuel	993 71
Toronto, Bond Street	394 00
Hamilton, First	352 85
Montreal, Calvary	299 87
Granby	246 60
Montreal, Zion	222 75
Toronto, Olivet	200 00
Sherbrooke	167 68
Brantford	157 54
Kingston, Bethel	144 34
Toronto, Western	124 40
Maxville	110 25
Montreal, Pt. St. Charles	100 85
Toronto, Broadview	100 05
Kingston, First	100 00

The Sunday School contributing the largest amount was Zion, Montreal, $105.75, (well done Zion), followed by Montreal, Emmanuel, $67.34; Point St. Charles, $45.00; Northern, $30.00; Hamilton, 1st, $30.00; Plymouth, Sherbrooke, $26.31; Kingston, First, $24.00; London, First, $21.49; Brantford, $20.00.

While we have not received as many large subscriptions from Sunday Schools this year as last, we have received contributions from a larger number of schools, subscriptions ranging from $1.25 to $105.75. The programmes prepared by our Educational Secretary and distributed to schools in connection with Special Home Missionary Sunday, have increased the interest of the Sunday Schools in our work.

The financial statement shows that the total outlay on account of the General Mission Fund amounted to $11,462.49, a decrease in disbursements as against last year of $2,691.19, which has enabled us to wipe out last year's deficit of $1,065.40, and carry a balance over into next year on the right side of $486.34, notwithstanding the fact that our receipts this year show a decrease of $1,139.45. It is six years since we have been able to report a credit balance, and while we regret that contributions from churches have not been as large as last year, it is very gratifying to report that the deficit has been cleared off.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON H. O'HARA,
Treasurer.

CANADA CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Treasurer's Statement for Year Ending May 31st, 1916.

THE GENERAL MISSIONS FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Contributions—			
British Columbia		$121 17	
Alberta		191 80	
Saskatchewan		140 20	
Manitoba		50 00	
			$ 503 17
Ontario (Western District)	$1,042 60		
Ontario (Central District)	2,055 58		
Ontario (Eastern District)	527 53		
		$3,625 71	
Quebec		2,414 81	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick		347 73	
			6,388 25
Personal and Special Subscriptions			370 58
C.C. Women's Board of Missions			1,300 00
N.S. and N.B. Women's Board of Missions			197 41
N.S. and N.B. Gorham Trust			714 61
United Brethren			450 00
Colonial Missionary Society			637 21
Shurtleff Mission Fund Revenue Account			2,025 00
Interest from Investments, etc.			428 00
			$13,014 23

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance, 31st May, 1915			$1,065 40
Grants, etc.—			
British Columbia		$ 480 00	
Alberta		1,866 38	
Saskatchewan		1,203 40	
Manitoba		1,056 45	
Immigration Work		74 15	
			4,680 38
Ontario (Western District)	$440 00		
Ontario (Central District)	300 00		
Ontario (Eastern District)	525 00		
		$1,265 00	
Quebec		775 23	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick		1,297 91	
			3,338 14
United Brethren			387 50
Ayer's Cliff and District from Shurtleff Bequest			1,050 00
Special Grant, Calgary First Church, from Colonial Missionary Society			237 50
Congregationalist			415 71
Guarantee a/c Salary and Expenses Gen. Sec. of Union			1,021 66
Proportion General Expenses			331 60
Balance			486 34
			$13,014 23

SHURTLEFF MISSION FUND.

(Revenue Account).

RECEIPTS.

Interest from Investments	$2,225 00
	$2,225 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

G.M.F. for Grants to Ayer's Cliff and District	$1,050 00
G.M.F. for General Distribution	975 00
For Administration	200 00
	$2,225 00

CHURCH EXTENSION AND BUILDING FUND.

(Revenue Account).

RECEIPTS.

Balance, 31st May, 1915	$2,225 76
Interest from Investments	2,626 60
	$4,852 36

DISBURSEMENTS.

Calgary, First Church	$1,000 00
Vancouver, First Church	2,294 43
Victoria, First Church	500 00
Calgary, German Church	44 00
Proportion General Expenses	168 25
Balance	845 68
	$4,852 36

GEORGE ROBERTSON EVANGELISTIC FUND.

(Revenue Account).

RECEIPTS.

Balance, 31st May, 1915	$484 21
Interest from Investments	651 57
	$1,135 78

DISBURSEMENTS.

Armenian Mission, Brantford	$ 237 50
Russian-German Fields, Alberta	137 75
Kingston, Calvary Church	15 50
Montreal, Point St. Charles	30 00
Proportion General Expenses	74 22
Balance	640 81
	$1,135 78

Toronto, 31st May, 1916.

GORDON O'HARA,
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct,
E. J. JOSELIN,
D. O. WOOD,
Auditors.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE GENERAL MISSION FUND OF THE CANADA CONGREGATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MAY, 1916.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER, FIRST.

Church	$70 00

VANCOUVER, GRANDVIEW.

Sunday School	$6 17

VANCOUVER, KITSILANO.

Church	$20 00

VICTORIA.

Church	$25 00
Total	$121 17

ALBERTA.

CALGARY, FIRST.

Church	$20 70
Sunday School	10 00
	$30 70

CALGARY, GERMAN.

Church	$25 00

HIGHLAND PARK.

Church	$18 50

HILDA.

Church	$9 00
Sunday School	7 00
	$16 00

NEW SWEDEN.

Church	$10 00
Sunday School	2 10
	$12 10

SUNNYSLOPE.

Church	$83 50

WESTERHAM.

Church	$6 00
Total	$191 80

SASKATCHEWAN.

CHELLWOOD.

Church	$3 00

LANDIS.

Church	$24 70

NASEBY.

Church	$39 00

PRUSSIA.

Church	$51 00
Sunday School	19 85
	$70 85

PINWHERRY.

Sunday School	$2 65
Total	$140 20

MANITOBA.

BRANDON.

Church	$50 00

ONTARIO—WESTERN DISTRICT.

BRANTFORD.

Church	$133 54
Sunday School	20 00
Y.P.S.C.E.	4 00
	$157 54

BURFORD.

Church	$25 50

EMBRO.

Church	$15 25

FOREST, CENTRAL.

Church	$30 00

FROME.

Church	$8 50
Sunday School	5 00
	$13 50

GARAFRAXA.

Church	$2 00
Sunday School	5 00
	$7 00

GUELPH.

Church	$84 01
Sunday School	5 00
	$89 01

HAMILTON, FIRST.

Church	$322 85
Sunday School	30 00
	$352 85

HAMILTON, EMMANUEL.

Church	$23 35
Sunday School	15 00
	$38 35

LAWRENCE.

Church	$15 00

LONDON, FIRST.

Church	$34 40
Sunday School	21 49
	$55 89

LONDON, SOUTHERN.

Church, 1915	$15 00
Church, 1916	41 45
Sunday School	5 00
	$61 45

NEW DURHAM.

Church, 1915	$10 95
Church, 1916	26 25
	$37 20

NORTH PLYMPTON.

Church	$7 50

SCOTLAND.

Sunday School	$8 70

SPEEDSIDE.

Church	$10 61

STRATFORD.

Church	$15 00

TILBURY, EAST.

Church	$43 00
Sunday School	13 00
	$56 00

WATFORD.

Church	$17 30
Sunday School	2 70
	$20 00

WATFORD CIRCUIT.

Church	$6 55
Sunday School	3 45
	$10 00

WOODSTOCK.

Church	$15 00
Sunday School	1 25
	$16 25
Total	$1,042 60

ONTARIO—CENTRAL DISTRICT.

BARRIE.

Church	$30 00

CHURCHILL.

Church	$15 00
Sunday School	3 00
	$18 00

COBOURG.

Church	$85 00
Sunday School	2 90
	$87 90

COLD SPRINGS.

Church	$25 51

EDGAR.

Church	$13 50

PINE GROVE.

Church	$11 25
Y.P.S.C.E.	2 60
	$13 85

RUGBY.

Church	$36 25
Sunday School	11 50
	$47 75

TORONTO, BOND ST.

Mrs. Hay's Bible Class	$10 00
Church	384 00
	$394 00

TORONTO, BROADVIEW.

Church	$100 05

TORONTO, NORTHERN.

Church	$890 62
Sunday School	30 00
Young People's Society	80 00
	$1,000 62

TORONTO, OLIVET.

Church	$200 00

TORONTO, WESTERN.

Church	$124 40
Total	$2,055 58

ONTARIO—EASTERN DISTRICT.

HOPETOWN.

Church	$6 20

KINGSTON, FIRST.

Church	$76 00
Sunday School	24 00
	$100 00

KINGSTON, BETHEL.

Church	$128 33
Sunday School	16 01
	$144 34

KINGSTON, CALVARY.

Mission Band	$20 00
Sunday School	4 45
Church	3 55
	$28 00

LANARK.

Church	$52 05

MAXVILLE.

Church	$105 25
Sunday School	5 00
	$110 25

MIDDLEVILLE.

Church	$15 09

OTTAWA, FIRST.

Church	$20 00

OTTAWA, WELCOME ZION.

Church	$44 60

ROSETTA.

Church	$7 00
Total	$527 53

QUEBEC.

AYER'S CLIFF.

Church	$17 27
Y.P.S.C.E.	10 50
Sunday School	3 00
	$30 77

BOYNTON.

Church	$4 23
Women's Auxiliary	5 00
	$9 23

BRIGHAM.

Church	$4 80

COWANSVILLE.

Church	$55 00

DANVILLE.

Church	$20 00

FITCH BAY.

Church, 1915	$13 75
Church, 1916	10 00
	$23 75

GRANBY.

Ladies' Aid Society	$20 00
Y.P.S.C.E.	10 00
Brotherhood	10 00
Sunday School	7 25
Sunshine Club	3 00
Church	196 35
	$246 60

MELBOURNE.

Church	$41 05
Sunday School	3 95
	$45 00

MONTREAL, AMHERST PARK.

Church	$25 00

MONTREAL, CALVARY.

Church	$299 87

MONTREAL, CRYSTAL SPRINGS.

Church, 1915	$6 40

MONTREAL, EMMANUEL.

Sunday School, 1915	$36 04
Sunday School, 1916	31 30
Church	926 37
	$993 71

MONTREAL, PT. ST. CHARLES.

Church	$51 85
Sunday School	45 00
Women's Missionary Society	4 00
	$100 85

MONTREAL, UNION.

Church	$10 00

MONTREAL, ZION.

Church	$117 00
Sunday School	70 75
Branch Sunday School	35 00
	$222 75

SHERBROOKE.

Church	$141 37
Sunday School	26 31
	$167 68

STANSTEAD SOUTH.

Church	$50 00

STE. ANNE DE BELLEVUE.

Church	$54 25

ULVERTON.

Church	$17 43

WATERVILLE.

Church	$27 52
Sunday School	4 20
	$31 72
Total	$2,414 81

NOVA SCOTIA AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

BEACH MEADOWS.

Church	$4 00
Sunday School	5 00
	$9 00

BROOKLYN.

Church	$15 50

BAKER'S SETTLEMENT.

Church	$2 97

CHEBOGUE.

Church	$18 45
Sunday School	1 75
	$20 20

ECONOMY.

Church	$8 00

HEMFORD.

Church	$6 00

KINGSPORT.

Church	$30 00

KESWICK RIDGE.

Church	$23 00

LIVERPOOL.

Sunday School	$11 88
Church	4 30
	$16 18

LOWER SELMAH.

Church	$19 15

MARGAREE.

Church	$32 00

NOEL.

Church	$20 00

PLEASANT RIVER.

Church	$11 40

SHEFFIELD.

Y.P.S.C.E.	$12 00
Church	27 83
	$39 83

SOUTH MAITLAND.

Church	$12 00

ST. JOHN.

Sunday School	$10 00
Church	34 50
	$44 50

YARMOUTH.

Y.P.S.C.E.	$10 00
Church	28 00
	$38 00
Total	$347 73

PERSONAL AND SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Collection at Union Meetings, Ottawa	$20 40
A Friend	100 00
D. McP., Basswood, Man...	10 00
A Friend	100 00
Collections at Union Meetings, N. S. and N. B.	5 18
J. M. Dods, Alton	100 00
Rev. E. D. Silcox	10 00
J. Adams	25 00
	$370 58

THE FOLLOWING SUBSCRIPTIONS WERE RECEIVED AFTER THE BOOKS CLOSED, YEAR ENDING 31st MAY, 1916.

Paris	$22 92
Scotland	26 60
Humber Summit	10 00
Lower Selmah, additional..	1 00
Crystal Springs	5 15
Maxville, additional	28 00
Montreal, Calvary, additional	25 00
Forest, Lake Shore	6 00
	$124 67

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Superintendent Prayer Union—Miss F. B. Rawlings, Forest, Ont.

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Auditor—G. T. Gwyn.

CONSTITUTION.

I.—NAME.

This Corporation shall be called The Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society.

II.—OBJECT.

The object of this Society shall be to spread the knowledge of the Gospel among the heathen and other unenlightened people.

III.—MEMBERSHIP.

The members of this Society shall be persons subscribing $2 annually, ministers of all contributing churches, one other representative from each church contributing $10 annually, and two representatives from each church contributing $50, or over, annually, and each year the delegates appointed from any church to the Congregational Union of Canada shall be delegates to this Society, provided that church be entitled to be so represented. Every benefactor making a donation of $40 at one time shall be a life member.

IV.—OFFICERS.

The officers of this Society shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Board of Directors, to be elected at the annual meeting of the Society.

V.—MEETINGS.

An annual meeting of the Society shall be held on the Thursday following the first Sunday in June, at the place where the Congregational Union of Canada assembles.

VI.—AMENDMENTS.

This Constitution can be amended by vote of two-thirds of the members present at any annual meeting of the Society, notice of the proposed alteration having been given in two successive numbers of the *Canadian Independent.**

BY-LAWS.

I.—FUNDS.

All funds arising from donations, legacies, subscriptions, or otherwise, shall be lodged by the Treasurer, as soon as collected, with some chartered bank, to be named by the Executive Committee. Money can be drawn from such accounts only by cheques, signed by the Secretary and Treasurer, but the President or Vice-President may sign for either in their absence.

II.—MANAGEMENT.

The Board of Directors shall consist of not more than twenty-five members of the Society, including the officers, and shall be elected at the annual meeting, who shall have full charge and power for the administration of the affairs of the Society. Immediately after their election, they shall appoint an Executive Committee, and such other committees as they shall deem expedient for the interests of the Society. The Executive Committee shall have all the powers of the Board of Directors between the meetings of that Board, and shall consist of the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Superintendents of Departments, and not more than twelve other members, together with two members of the Woman's Board, the same to be appointed by that Board, and who are members of this Society.

III.—MEETINGS.

The Board of Directors shall meet at least once during the year, immediately before the annual meeting of the Society, at the call of the Secretary, to prepare reports, and a list of officers and committees to be nominated at the annual meeting, as well as to transact any other business connected with the interests of the Society.

IV.—PRESENTATION TO CHURCHES.

The work of this Society shall be presented and a Foreign Missionary sermon preached in each of the churches of the constituency at least once in each year. The Executive Committee shall see that news from the Society's work is distributed to the churches.

V.—DONATIONS FOR SPECIAL WORK.

When money is donated for missionary work outside the Society's missions, it may be forwarded to societies working in that field.

VI.—AMENDMENT.

These by-laws may be altered in the same manner as the Constitution.

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING.

Sherbrooke, June 8th, 1916.

The thirty-fifth annual meeting of the C.C.F.M.S. met in Plymouth Congregational Church on the above date, at 2 p.m., President J. T. Daley in the chair.

**Now Canadian Congregationalist.*

The report of the Secretary was read by Rev. J. G. Hindley.

The Treasurer, H. W. Barker, presented the financial report.

The report of the Educational Department was given by Rev. A. F. Pollock.

The Associate Secretary read the report of the Superintendent of the Prayer Union.

Mrs. E. M. Hill brought to the meeting greetings from the C.C.W.B.M.S.

The greetings of Revs. Tucker and Bell of Africa were conveyed to the Society through the President.

On motion of Rev. Dr. Warriner the following resolution was passed, to be forwarded to our missionaries in Africa: "The Society, in annual meeting assembled, having heard the Secretary's report, desires to unite with our missionaries in thanksgiving to God for His preserving care, and for His abundant blessing upon their labors. We would also express to them our very high appreciation of their personal character and consecration, their wise and able conduct of the Mission, our sense of its great and growing significance for the Kingdom of Christ in Africa, and assure them of our continued co-operation with them in the further development and extension to the limit of our powers."

Then followed the election of the Officers, Directors and Executive Committee (see first page of report).

The Secretary was instructed to send to the Past Secretary, Henry Yeigh, our appreciation of his long and continued services.

The new Secretary, Rev. J. G. Hindley, was authorized to sign cheques in conjunction with the Treasurer.

The Chairman introduced Rev. J. W. Woodside, returned from Africa, to the meeting, who gave an informing address on the problems, needs and opportunities of the work.

He then presented Rev. Hilton Pedley of Japan, who gave a resume of the Christian outlook in that country.

Adjournment was made at 5.10, after benediction pronounced by Rev. A. Margrett.

M. H. Sanderson,
Minute Secretary.

THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE C.C.F.M.S. FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1916.

To the Members of the Canada Cong. Foreign Miss. Society:

Your Committee has pleasure in presenting another annual report of the work of the Society. Much of our pleasure comes from the knowledge that the work done by the Society through our missionaries has been greatly blessed of God. We have reason to be thankful that the shadow of this great war has not fallen heavily upon our work, either at home or abroad.

In the home field, the generosity of our people keeps well apace of last year, for there is no serious depletion in funds. In this we rejoice for, by our usual giving, we are committed to a great work and a group of noble men and women. Hence, we urge that our friends will continue to regard these contributions to the extension of the Kingdom as a pledged obligation and a fixed charge upon their resources to the point of sacrifice and blessing, and that our foreign missionary giving shall not be diverted to any other objects.

On the field itself, while there were wars and rumors of wars, and actual collisions between the Portuguese and the Germans in the southern part of

Angola, these were too far south to influence the neighborhood of our stations.

The only difficulties felt by our missionaries have been the necessity for out-going missionaries to travel by way of the Cape, and the cutting off of their annual supplies, which had usually been brought from England, missionaries having to rely more on the native products; but they were able to get these in variety and quantity not secured in earlier years. In fact, Mr. Tucker writes:—"At the coast, things are very dear. We had an S.O.S. call from the British Consul at Lobito last week. They have practically nothing. From the garden, we are able to send vegetables every week by train." Mr. Tucker also writes that fish have been sent up on ice once a week from the coast, and that they have been able to secure meat twice a week from rail-head,—a great change from the ways of the early missionaries and the old days of corn and beans.

All reports from the Mission, both official and private, tell of most gratifying progress. All the stations of the Mission have shared in this prosperity, as their annual reports show.

STATION SCHOOLS.

The Station Schools are an important part of the work. An idea of the extent of this department may be obtained from the fact that no less than 5,249 are enrolled in the schools, of whom about one-third are in the schools connected with Chisamba. "The school system generally is largely controlled by the lady missionaries, and special honor is due them for the greatness of their accomplishment in the years gone by. To take a raw heathen, teach him to read, to write, and to count, is a task demanding the utmost skill, patience, and consecration."

Mr. Cattell writes concerning the school work at Chisamba:—"Miss Melville in the primary school has an 'owini walua'; that is to say, a great crowd—well over 150 scholars. Miss Maggie Melville has over 70 advanced pupils, many of them future Dondi pupils."

The rapid increase of out-station schools is both gratifying and embarrassing. Last year, 14 schools were reported. This year, there are 26, besides the large one at Chisamba. The embarrassment comes from lack of teachers to supply the demand, and of an ordained missionary to superintend this work. Dr. Moffatt says:—"All these schools seem to be on fire, even though they have to pay tuition fees. It does one good to realize the desire there is for the gospel and schools."

INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

The Industrial Department has had the benefit of Mr. Cattell's oversight for the year. He says:—"We are giving our boys good training in the carpenter shop. This is included in the school curriculum. At present, we have an order for 20 double school desks for Dondi. The ox waggon donated several years ago by the home Sunday Schools is doing good service these days, hauling clay for tiles, and firewood for the kiln. We are also hauling stone for the foundation of the Boys' Boarding School buildings. You may have heard that, while our Station is favorably situated for reaching the natives, it is somewhat too close to a river and swamp. We have decided to straighten the course of the stream and drain this land. We hope by so doing to reclaim a large tract of rich bottom land, very suitable for rice and corn, besides making the district more healthy."

MEDICAL WORK.

The Medical work is reported thus in the annual report of the American Board:—

"*Chisamba.*—The Mission Hospital is located at this Station. Although rather poorly equipped, yet a considerable amount of medical work is carried on. All the major surgery is performed here. Operations for cataract are very common. All the wards have been filled, and over 100 patients have attended the dispensary every day. The statistics show 60 patients received in the hospital, and 14,226 treatments given in the dispensary."

"*Dondi,*—is a hive of industry. Forty-five students were registered at the opening of the Institute on October 1st, coming from all the stations connected with the West Africa Mission. Seven are from Bailundu, six from Kamundongo, six from Sachikela, five from Ochileso, and twenty-one from Chisamba.

"Last year's registration was 26; so that the increase is gratifying to the whole mission. Of last year's students, all except two returned. One of these has charge of an out-school and could not come this year, but hopes to do so when the next session commences. The other married a wife, and therefore could not come.

"In his letter stating his reason for not coming this year, the student in charge of the out-station school said, 'One sets fire to the grass on the mountain; another to the grass in the valley; but the smoke caused by the two fires ultimately meets and makes one.' This Umbumbu proverb means that two working in different places have the same end in view. As applied to the work of God, it indicates unity of effort, though sundered far.

"The Institute students will be the future leaders of the churches. Hence the desire is to prepare them in every way to meet the growing demands of their people, and to lead them into right ways of living, thinking, and acting. The Institute cares for the entire needs of the students' development. Not only must native pastors be able to teach in the schools, but know how to build a model house, farm on a scientific basis, and be a model in all things to the natives whom he seeks to win to Christ." Mr. Tucker writes that he expects 80 young men in attendance at Dondi next year.

From the report of the trustees, we learn:—

"There are at present two dwelling houses, a blacksmith shop of burnt brick and tile roof, one small building of two rooms, a large school building with two rooms; it is of burnt brick and is ready for the tile roof; two dormitories neatly built, with their adjoining kitchens almost completed; a large carpenter's shop is well under construction. Fruit trees are being set out; irrigated gardens are being carefully plotted out and planted; brook gardens are planted; the brick yard is industriously turning out its product of tile and brick; the carpenter shop is busy with the building work, and the waggons are hauling lumber, brick, tile, and clay; so that all is activity. The hydraulic ram is a boon to the work, and constantly, night and day, supplies its stream of water in abundance, and some to spare."

In his recent letter, Mr. Tucker writes:—"The starting of a new work is always fraught with dangers, foreseen and unforeseen. Up to the present, we have been able to overcome the chief difficulties, and the work goes ahead well. The one thing we cannot avoid is the too rapid development of the work; that is, with such a small staff, and so many calls on all hands."

The American Board has undertaken to provide the teacher for the Institute. This will be a valuable addition to the staff, as the teacher to be sent will have a thorough Normal training.

The Mission has decided that the Central Training School for girls will be located on the Dondi Concession, across the river from the Institute for boys. The committee in charge, of which Miss Melville is President, had completed arrangements for beginning the work of construction in May of this year.

The Mission has extended an invitation to Mrs. Currie to return to Africa to take charge of the Girls' Training School. Mrs. Currie is unable to accept this invitation at present.

The safe arrival in Canada of Miss Diadem Bell since our last meeting is a matter of interest to us. Miss Bell has undertaken a tour of the churches. Judging from experience, we are sure this will be of great advantage to the work, and of great interest to the churches visited. All the other missionaries have been on duty during the year. We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Moffatt's health has been very poor, and that it may be necessary for the Dr. to bring her to America at once. As the doctor's furlough will be due next year, we have been hoping that an ordained missionary could be sent to take up the evangelistic work of the station; but the man is not yet in sight. The need will be even more urgent in the event of Dr. Moffatt's early departure for America.

Our sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, who have sustained a great loss in the death of their son Kenneth, and their baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Cattell have been enriched by the birth of a daughter, Mary Margaret. The coming and going of these little ones in missionaries' homes makes a big impression on the hearts of the people round-a-bout, and their little lives have a deep missionary value in strengthening the ties of sympathy and mutual affection.

Dr. Patton reports the possibility of a new station for the mission, to be maintained by the colored Congregational churches of the United States. He writes:—"We are putting up to them a proposition looking to the establishing and maintaining a station of their own in behalf of the Kalande tribe, in the region south of the railroad, southwest from Sachikela. I have assumed the responsibility of raising the four thousand dollars necessary for first property and equipment, if these negro churches will furnish qualified workers and maintain them. This will be a very interesting forward step. We have a good many graduates of our negro schools in America who are high-grade men and women, as thoroughly trained as any of our white recruits."

Mr. Woodside, who has just returned from an itinerary through the negro churches of the Southern States in behalf of the West Central African work, brings back an encouraging report. We count ourselves most fortunate in enjoying the presence of Mr. Woodside of the field at the meetings, and feel sure his visit will prove a real inspiration to us all.

We have been notified that, by the will of the late Mr. George Hague, a bequest of $1,000.00 is payable to our Society. Mr. Hague was for years an officer of the Society, and a sympathetic and generous supporter of its work. We deplore that by an unfortunate vagueness in the terms of the will of a late benefactor of the Society we are, by judicial decision, deprived of reaping the benefit of a large bequest. We would therefore urge upon friends who wish to thus perpetuate their interest in the world-wide Kingdom to explicitly provide against a repetition of this most regrettable loss, and thus secure the work they loved by due forethought and an exact naming of our Society.

The love of our work and the tragedy of this great war are linked up in a bequest that has come to us during the year. One of the boys of one of our Congregational churches, who died in a German prison camp, in making his will evinced his interest by a gift, large for him, of $100.00 to the Chisamba work.

We would place on record our gratitude to God for His blessing upon our mother societies. We have learned with profound gratification that the American Board has again passed the million mark and the best year in its history, and with even greater satisfaction we are happy to announce that the grand old London Missionary Society has passed through the threatened crisis most gloriously, with over £7,000 to the good.

Again we would gratefully recognize the unfailing interest and generosity of our own Canada Congregational Women's Board of Missions in another year of faithful service.

We take pleasure in announcing the forthcoming publication of "The Story of Chisamba Re-told." The life history of our Mission has been re-written, the manuscript revised and edited, the cuts selected, and, upon the arrival of the new maps from Africa, the book is promised for the Fall. It is our hope that it will be largely used by our Schools, Societies and Auxiliaries as a Mission text-book.

The whole outlook is one of boundless promise and opportunity if we are but able to possess the land.

Our outstanding and urgent needs to meet this challenge are:—

(1) An ordained man for Chisamba as Evangelist and Superintendent of Education.

(2) The completion of the Allan and David Gunn Memorial School. To make this a permanent institution at a considerably increased cost is imperative.

(3) The amounts already in hand for the Dondi Institute Fund will all be expended by the end of the year, and while the time may not be ripe for the launching of a general campaign among our churches, here is a unique opportunity for our friends, either as individuals or as organizations, to assume the cost of many special buildings necessary to the finer equipment of this noble Christian institution for the young people of Africa. Such a unit could be named by the donor for a church or a school, or for a dear departed friend; and would be a perpetual memorial, and an immeasurable blessing to both races, to our own Empire, and to the ever-expanding Kingdom of our God and His Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

J. G. HINDLEY,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY OF THE C.C.F.M.S.

Since the Union was convened in Ottawa last year the Chisamba views have travelled almost from ocean to ocean, and have been exhibited in the following places: Calgary, Winnipeg, Crescent, Pilgrim Institute, and Central, also in Toronto by the Bond Street Auxiliary, Northern Auxiliary, Broadview Christian Endeavor Society, Northern Auxiliary and Northern S. S., Olivet Auxiliary and Olivet Senior C. E. Society, also the Junior C. E. Society. In Woodstock, Scotland, Guelph. They were also requested for use in the Maritime Provinces, and have been exhibited in several places there in connection with Miss Bell's itinerary. They were used also in Ottawa by Miss Bell at the Annual Meetings of The Woman's Board. The set, therefore, during the past two years, has had a pretty general circulation throughout the Congregational Churches of the Dominion, having been as far west as British Columbia, and east as far as Nova Scotia. All the larger churches, in fact, have used them, and it only remains for the smaller churches to get busy and arrange with the Educational Secretary for their exhibition.

It may be of interest in this report to give some of the friendly criticisms and expressions of appreciation that have come to us from the different churches regarding these views. The following are some of these:—"The slides are all right so far as I can see, and my only criticism of them is that so important a factor for instance as the Medical Department, should have only one slide and so very brief mention, while native weddings and Lisbon landscapes should have so much space. On the whole the visit of these slides will do your cause good in any community, and we were pleased to have the opportunity here of seeing them, and the leader of our Mission." Study classes said: "Those slides have given my classes a clear idea of Chisamba and its possibilities than I could possibly have done in a whole month's study." Another writes: "They were very much enjoyed and appreciated. We think you should mention, however, in the lecture that the Misses Melville are from the Olivet Church. Moreover, we think you should have a better picture of Miss Maggie Melville. The night they were shown at Olivet two friends took up the support of an out-station school, as suggested in the lecture, and also helped with the new school." The testimony, however, we appreciate most is that given by Miss Diadem Bell, at present on furlough, who when asked her opinion of the set and whether it was up to date, replied: "They are fine, and give a splendid conception of our West Central African Mission." We might further add that some of the churches using the slides neither acknowledged the receipt of the set when forwarded, nor did they notify the Secretary when sending them on to the next point. In this way complications have arisen and needless expense incurred as well.

The set on Child Life in Mission Lands, belonging to the Quebec Association, was used at the November quarterly meeting of the Toronto Branch, and also by the Olivet S. S., and is reported as "very fine and much enjoyed." Ottawa First and Welcome Zion have also used these views, and they may be secured by any of our churches for a rental of $2.00 and express charges one way. We would like also to remind our churches that the Missionary Herald is free to donors of not less than $10.00 annually; to collectors of not less than $15.00 annually; to Honorary Members of the American Board, and to Treasurers of churches contributing not less than $20.00 annually. This is a splendid magazine and should receive a larger patronage from our Canadian churches. Another very fine monthly publication for Mission Bands, Sunday Schools or Christian Endeavor Societies is entitled "Everyland," and comes at $1.00 per annum. The Here and There series, published monthly at thirty cents a year, or ten copies for $1.25 to one address, and twenty-five copies for $2.50, are fine for interesting boys and girls in Home and Foreign work.

In conclusion we would emphasize the monthly missionary sermon and the monthly missionary prayer meeting, also systematic presentation of missionary material in the Sunday Schools and Young People's Societies, representation at summer conferences, and some definite plan to stir up and quicken interest among our laymen, and above all much prayer for the spread of the Gospel and extension of the Kingdom in all the world.

Respectfully submitted,

A. F. POLLOCK,

Educational Sec'y C.C.F.M.S.

REPORT OF PRAYER UNION C.C.F.M.S., 1915-16.

The Prayer Union was organized Jan. 1st, 1897, under the care of Dr. E. M. Hill. The membership, never large, has been added to from time to time. New blessings have been received by the Mission at home and abroad. This year your Secretary has written a few letters and made some appeals for more prayer for our work and workers.

It has been my pleasure to see that some of our members are beginning to realize more than ever that it "costs to pray." I have noticed larger gifts and more joy in giving among some who formerly were satisfied with a nominal amount.

We need more prayer for Africa, then all the needs of our work could be fully met.

I am unable to be with you, and feel that some one else ought to have this work in their charge.

Hoping and praying that you may have a good meeting, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

FLORENCE B. RAWLINGS.

Forest, June 5th.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE C.C.F.M.S. FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1916.

In view of the conditions which have been brought about in the financial world by reason of the war, and in view of the great number of demands which have been made upon us all through Red Cross and other patriotic appeals—in one of our cities alone over $23.00 per capita has already been given for these,—it is extremely gratifying to be able to report that there has been no serious shrinkage in our ordinary receipts, while the income for designated purposes is, by reason of certain legacies which have come to hand, far in excess of that of any previous year,—for all of which we lift up our hearts in thanks to God, "Whose we are and Whom we serve."

It will be noticed by the printed statement that the contributions for the year for the General Fund amounted to $5,462, which is only $118 behind those of 1914-1915. We commenced the year with an overdraft of $252. Out of the receipts this overdraft has been covered, we have remitted to the American Board on account of salaries and other station charges, $2,795 ($1,675.00 still being due them); paid travelling expenses of $88; printing accounts (including payment of $277 to the Publishing Committee), of $396; voted to the Missionary Education Movement $50; paid for drugs for the hospital, $454; paid on account of our guarantee in connection with the General Secretary's salary and expenses, $351; office expenses, postage, exchange, etc., $137, and transferred the usual $1,000 to Furlough Fund.

Regarding the purchase of drugs, these have usually been bought and paid for by our missionaries on the field out of the profits of the hospital, but this year they were short of money, owing to the falling off of Portuguese business, and so it became necessary for us to purchase and pay for the hospital supplies at this end.

After these expenditures, we closed the year with an adverse balance of $65.

Now we come to the receipts for Designated Objects. The balance at the beginning of the year was $8,232, and the contributions for the year $964. Then, the $10,000 Hine legacy (which, it will be remembered, was left to Dr. Currie in trust for the Society, to be paid over to us upon his death), was received. Only $500 of this amount, however, was paid in cash, the balance being represented by the Howard mortgage, on account of which $250 has since been paid, leaving the amount of the mortgage $9,250. Then, in order to take advantage of a good investment which was offered, and which will be more fully explained in a few moments, your Investment Committee considered it wise for the Hine Interest Account to loan the Hine Principal Account $400, which will be paid back out of repayments of principal due in the near future. In the Hine Interest Account we received $788 (part of

which had accrued before the trust came into the Society's hands), and from the Freeland Trust the usual amount of $292. Next appears the $1,000 which is annually transferred from the General Fund to provide for furlough expenses. Then, the $100 legacy already referred to in the Secretary's report, which was left to the Society for educational work at Chisamba by a Guelph soldier, who died as a prisoner of war in Germany. So we have a total of $21,627 in the designated receipts.

Out of this total there has been remitted to the American Board from the Furlough Fund, $733; contributed for the support of teachers and boys, $303; from the Freeland and Hine trusts for the same object, $292 and $388 respectively; remitted on account of Institute, $2,000; legacy for educational work, $100; a gift from Emmanuel Sunday School, Hamilton, for an out-station near Chisamba, $50; for Mr. Tucker's work and Mr. Cattell's work, $5 and $15 respectively, making a total of $3,153 remitted for designated objects at Chisamba. For other designated work, in which the Society has acted merely as forwarding agent, we have remitted $147. The Howard mortgage, representing the Hine legacy (originally made for $10,000, but upon which $500 was paid before it came into our hands), is entered as $9,500. A further payment of $250 on account of principal was recently made, and this, with the $500 previously paid, and the $400 borrowed from the Interest Account, enabled us to advance $1,150 to the Robinson Estate at 6½ per cent. on good property in Toronto, valued at four times the amount of our mortgage.

These disbursements leave a balance on hand of $6,942 in designated moneys, which amount is made up of the following funds:—

Institute	$5,094
Furlough	1,016
Gunn Memorial School	832
Total	$6,942

The summary at the foot of the sheet shows the giving by Associations. It will be seen by comparison with the table at the left hand side that there has been an increase in the giving of the Toronto Association of $231, and the Quebec of $234, while there has been a slight falling off in the Western, Eastern, United Brethren, Western Provinces and Maritime Provinces, as well as in Miscellaneous and Personal.

The giving by churches is not shown in the printed statement, but the record makes an interesting study. As usual, Montreal, Emmanuel, heads the list with $908, an increase of $46. Next comes Toronto, Northern, with $530, which is an increase of $155. Hamilton, First, follows with $416, then Toronto, Bond Street, $337, followed closely by Montreal, Calvary, $303. The other churches giving over $100 are Montreal, Zion, $182; Toronto, Broadview, $157; Granby, $146; Kingston, Bethel, $144; Toronto, Western, $140; Brantford, $139; Guelph, $132; Sherbrooke, $115; Toronto, Olivet, $110, and Maxville, $103.

Ninety-two churches have shared in the giving,—one more than last year.

Mention has been made in the Secretary's report of a legacy of $1,000, of which we have been notified, and which will be paid at an early date. I refer to that from the late George Hague of Montreal, who, although in his later years connected with another communion, always retained his interest in the work of our Society.

The stocks, bonds and mortgages which are held in connection with the various trusts, now amount to over $16,000. These have been checked by our auditor and found to be in order. The negotiable securities are safely deposited in a bank vault.

It will be necessary to increase our annual giving for the General Fund by $800 or $1,000 before we can support the ordained missionary who is so badly needed at Chisamba. The outfitting and outgoing of this new missionary will also entail an initial expenditure approximating a like amount for the first year. We believe our churches will rise to the occasion and provide for this foreign pastor to proclaim the glad message of salvation to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. Barker,
Treasurer.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1916.
GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Contributions for the year	$5,462 18
Dr. Balance	65 53
	$5,527 71

EXPENDITURE.

Overdraft brought forward		$ 252 60
Remitted American Board, for Salaries, etc.		2,795 37
Travelling Expenses—		
Rev. E. C. Moore, to Union	$17 50	
Executive Committee	26 05	
Delegate to Annual Meeting, National Council	45 00	
		88 55
Printing Accounts—		
Payment to Publishing Co.	$277 50	
Special Issue, "Congregationalist"	36 30	
Year Book account	36 00	
Sundry accounts	46 94	
		396 74
Voted Missionary Education Movement		50 00
Guarantee General Secretary's Salary		351 66
Drugs for Hospital, with freight, etc.		454 87
Office Expenses		103 00
Postage, Exchange, etc.		34 92
Transferred to Furlough Fund		1,000 00
		$5,527 71

DESIGNATED OBJECTS.

RECEIPTS.

Balance brought forward		$8,232 33
Contributions for the year		964 89
Hine Legacy, (heretofore held by Rev. W. T. Currie, D.D., in trust)		10,000 00
Hine Principal account, repaid on Howard Mortgage..	$250 00	
Borrowed from Interest account	400 00	
		650 00
Hine Interest account—		
Income from Investments $788.29, (less $400.00 loaned to Principal account)		388 29
Freeland Trust, Income from investments		292 00
Furlough Fund, transferred from General Fund		1,000 00
Legacy from Guelph Soldier		100 00
		$21,627 51

EXPENDITURE.

Remitted American Board from Furlough Fund		$733 37
Remitted for Designated Objects at Chisamba—		
Support of Teacher and Boys	$303 00	
Freeland Trust	292 00	
Hine Trust	388 29	
Institute account	2,000 00	
Legacy for Educational Work	100 00	
Out-station near Chisamba	50 00	
Mr. Tucker's Work	5 00	
Mr. Cattell's Work	15 00	
		3,153 29
Remitted for other Designated Objects:		
Armenian Relief	6 00	
Leper Mission	40 00	
Rev. L. E. McLachlin, China	48 50	
Indian Orphans	23 40	
Teacher in India	30 00	
		147 90
Hine Trust Investments—		
Howard Mortgage, ($250.00 of which has since been repaid)	9,500 00	
Robinson Mortgage	1,150 00	
		10,650 00
Balance on hand		6,942 95
		$21,627 51

CONTRIBUTIONS BY ASSOCIATIONS, 1914—1915.

	General	Designated	Total
Toronto	$1,094 98	$163 50	$1,258 48
Western	1,111 38	263 00	1,374 38
Eastern	535 38	80 00	615 38
United Brethren	325 02	70 00	395 02
Quebec	1,688 13	80 00	1,768 13
Western Provinces	149 35	60 00	209 35
Maritime Provinces	394 04	87 50	481 54
Miscellaneous and Personal	282 02	599 21	881 23
	$5,580 30	$1,403 21	$6,983 51

CONTRIBUTED BY ASSOCIATIONS, 1915—1916.

	General	Designated	Total
Toronto	$1,233 31	$255 75	$1,489 06
Western	1,001 93	364 74	1,366 67
Eastern	354 11	56 50	410 61
United Brethren	334 17	10 00	344 17
Quebec	1,873 76	128 40	2,002 16
Western Provinces	186 90	15 00	201 90
Maritime Provinces	240 05	63 50	303 55
Miscellaneous and Personal	237 95	71 00	308 95
	$5,462 18	$964 89	$6,427 07

H. W. BARKER,
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct. The securities were also examined and found to be in order.

G. T. GWYN.

Toronto, June 3rd, 1916.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

TORONTO ASSOCIATION.

CHURCHILL.

Church	$5 00

COLDSPRINGS.

Church	$12 40

COBOURG.

Church	$85 00

DALSTON.

Church	$6 00

EDGAR.

Church	$6 00
S. S., for Gunn Memorial	5 00
	$11 00

HUMBER SUMMIT.

Church, for boy	$12 50
S. S.	10 00
	$22 50

PINE GROVE.

Auxiliary, for boy	$ 5 00
Church	10 75
S. S., for boy	12 50
	$28 25

RUGBY.

Church	$43 00

TORONTO (Bond St.)

Mrs. Hay's Class, for Leper Mission	$40 00
W. Walmsley, for teacher	25 00
Church	272 25
	$337 25

TORONTO (Broadview).

Mr. and Mrs. Watt, for Gunn Mem.	$ 5 00
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	24 75
Auxiliary, for Gunn Mem.	6 00
Church	121 51
	$157 26

TORONTO (Northern).

Church	$320 50
S. S.	30 00
Y. P. Soc'y	80 00
Y. P. Soc'y, for Gunn Mem.	100 00
	$530 50

TORONTO (Olivet).

Church	$100 00
For Gunn Mem., in memory of Earl Wightman	10 00
	$110 00

TORONTO (Western).

Church	$130 90
Mrs. R. Hewitson, for Gunn Mem.	10 00
	$140 90
Total Toronto Ass'n	$1,489 06

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

BRANTFORD.

Church	$132 55
Church, for boy	7 00
	$139 55

BURFORD.

Church	$19 50
A Friend, for teacher	25 00
	$44 50

EMBRO.

Church, for Gunn Memorial	$25 00

FOREST (Central).

Church	$30 00

FROME.

Church	$14 00

GARAFRAXA.

Church	$2 00

GUELPH.

Church	$112 81
Church, for teacher	20 00
	$132 81

HAMILTON (First).

Church	$356 98
Mission Band, for Gunn Mem.	10 00
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	50 00
	$416 98

HAMILTON (Emm.)

Church	$20 00
S. S., for School	50 00
C. E., for Mr. Cattell's work	15 00
	$85 00

LAWRENCE.

For Rev. L. E. McLachlin, China	$48 50

LONDON (First).

Church	$31 41
S. S.	21 75
	$53 16

LONDON (Southern).

Church	$45 25

NEW DURHAM.

Church	$22 90

PARIS.

Church	$22 93
S. S., for boy	24 00
C. E., for boy	12 00
	$58 93

SCOTLAND.

Mission Band, for boy	$25 00
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	13 24
S. S.	8 60
Church	30 50
C. E., for boy	15 00
F. J. Gundy and friends, for boy	25 00
	$117 34

SPEEDSIDE.

Church	$18 00

STRATFORD.

S. S.	$27 00

TIVERTON.

Church	$15 00

TILBURY.

Church	$42 00

WATFORD.

Church	$12 00

WOODSTOCK.

Church	$11 25

NORTH PLYMPTON.

Church	$5 50
Total Western Ass'n	$1,366 67

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

KINGSTON First).

Church	$60 00
Mission Circle, for Gunn Mem.	5 00
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	5 00
Adult Bible Class, for Gunn Mem.	5 00
M. Lilley's Class, for Gunn Mem.	5 00
	$80 00

KINGSTON (Bethel).

Church	$28 00
S. S.	16 01
B. W. Robertson	100 00
	$144 01

KINGSTON (Calvary).

Church	$ 6 00
Mission Band	10 00
	$16 00

MAXVILLE.

Church	$94 10
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	1 00
Church, for Armenian Relief	6 00
Boys' Brotherhood Class for Gunn Mem.	2 50
	$103 60

OTTAWA (First).

C. E., for child	$20 00

OTTAWA (Welcome-Zion).

S. S.	$40 00
Jr. C. E., for Gunn Mem.	7 00
	$47 00
Total Eastern Ass'n	$410 61

UNITED BRETHREN ASSOCIATION.

KITCHENER.

Church	$48 25
S. S.	13 00
	$61 25

BLOOMINGDALE.

Church	$37 00

LISTOWEL.

Church	$27 00

SHELBURNE.

Church	$20 00

SHERKSTON.

Church	$82 00
C. E., for Gunn Mem.	10 00
	$92 00

WEST MONTROSE.

Church	$31 75
S. S.	6 67
	$38 42
Zion Circuit (Watford)	$7 75
Association	$31 75
Ass'n of Sunday Schools	$29 50
Total United Brethren Ass'n.	$344 17

QUEBEC ASSOCIATION.

AYER'S CLIFF.

Church	$12 15
C. E., for Gunn Mem.	10 00
	$22 15

BOYNTON.

Church	$1 40

COWANSVILLE.

Church	$48 75

DANVILLE.

Church	$40 00

FITCH BAY.

Church	$6 44

FRANKLIN CENTRE.

Church	$3 50

GRANBY.

Church	$146 15

MELBOURNE.

Church	$52 90

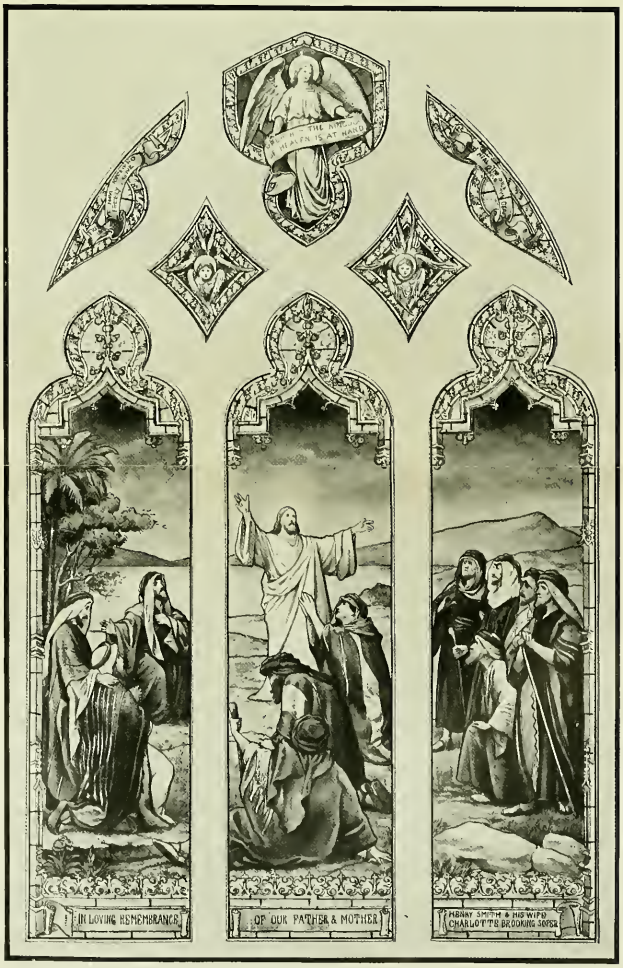
MONTREAL (Emmanuel).

Church	$835 10
S. S.	73 82
	$908 92

MONTREAL (Calvary).

Church	$228 60
Church, for Gunn Mem.	50 00
S. S., for boy	25 00
	$303 60

Christ's Mission to the Apostles



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MONTREAL (Zion).

Church	$130 00
S. S.	28 98
S. S., for Indian Orphan	23 40
	$182 38

MONTREAL (Crystal Springs).

Church	$5 00

MONTREAL (Pt. St. Charles).

Church	$28 60
Aux., for Mr. Tucker's work	5 00
	$33 60

MONTREAL (Amherst Park).

Church	$5 92
Mission Band	4 58
Y. P. Soc'y	2 50
Ladies' Auxiliary	3 00
S. S.	4 00
	$20 00

STANSTEAD SOUTH.

Church	$80 00

SHERBROOKE.

Church	$100 00
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	10 00
T. Cowan, for Gunn Mem.	5 00
	$115 00

WATERVILLE.

Church	$32 37
Total Quebec Ass'n	$2,002 16

WESTERN PROVINCES.

CANDO, CRANE CREEK AND NASEBY.

Churches	$10 55

CALGARY.

Church	$28 25

LANDIS.

Church	$11 00

PINWHERRY.

Church	$10 75

PORTER'S SETTLEMENT.

Church	$2 35

VANCOUVER (First).

C. E., for Gunn Mem.	$5 00

VANCOUVER (Grandview).

Church	$9 00

VANCOUVER (Kitsilano).

Church	$10 00

VICTORIA.

Church	$10 00
Mrs. L. A. Scowcroft, for Gunn Mem.	10 00
	$20 00

WETASKIWIN.

New Sweden Sewing Circle	$10 00

WINNIPEG (Central).

S. S.	$20 00

WINNIPEG (Crescent).

Ever Ready Class	$65 00
Total Western Provinces	$201 90

MARITIME PROVINCES.

BEACH MEADOWS.

Church	$3 25

BROOKLYN.

Church	$4 03

CHEBOGUE.

Church	$22 80
S. S.	1 11
	$23 91

KINGSPORT.

Church	$10 00
For Gunn Mem.	5 00
	$15 00

KESWICK RIDGE.

Church	$8 35

LIVERPOOL.

Church	$2 55

LOWER SELMAH.

Church	$2 50

MARGAREE.

Church	$12 00
Miss Millington's Class, for Gunn Mem.	1 00
S. S., for Gunn Mem.	1 50
Church, for Gunn Mem.	1 00
	$15 50

NOEL.

Church	$10 00

SOUTH MAITLAND.

Church	$8 00

SHEFFIELD.

Church	$62 00

ST. JOHN.

Church	$38 63

YARMOUTH.

Church	$30 00
C. E.	10 00
J. D. Dennis, for teacher	25 00
	$65 00

UNION OF N.S. AND N.B.

Collection	$4 83

MARITIME BRANCH C.C.W.B.M.

For teacher in India	$30 00
For General Fund	10 00
	$40 00
Total Maritime Provinces	$303 55

MISCELLANEOUS AND PERSONAL.

D. E. Moeser, Boston, for Gunn Mem. School	$5 00
Bank Interest	220 95
Mrs. Bolton, Langford, Ont., for Gunn Mem. School	5 00
Mrs. H. M. Meyers, for Gunn Mem. School	26 00
D. McPherson, Basswood, Manitoba	10 00
John Adams, Toronto, for support of Moembeli	25 00
Mrs. M. E. Sykes, Worcester, Mass.	2 00
F. Maeser, Toronto, for Gunn Memorial School.	10 00
Rev. E. D. Silcox, Toronto.	5 00
	$308 95

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Term expires 1919—W. D. Lighthall, Esq., M.A., B.C.L., Montreal; Thomas Moodie, Esq., Montreal; T. B. Caldwell, Esq., Lanark, Ont.

Term expires 1920—Charles Gurd, Esq., Montreal; A. McA. Murphy, Esq., Montreal; W. H. Miner, Granby.

Term expires 1921—J. R. Dougall, Esq., M.A., Montreal; Judge S. P. Leet, Montreal; Arthur Congdon, Winnipeg.

The Principal is a Consulting Member.

Honorary Advisory Governor—Charles R. Black, Esq.

Executive Committee—Mr. Gurd (Chairman), Mr. Moodie, Mr. Macaulay, Mr. Dougall, Dr. Pedley, Judge Leet, Mr. Duff, Mr. Lighthall, Mr. B. B. Stevenson, Mr. Murphy. The Principal is a Consulting Member.

House Committee—Mr. Chas. Gurd, Mr. T. Moodie, Alex. McA. Murphy.

Finance Committee—Mr. Chas. Gurd, Mr. T. B. Macaulay, T. Moodie.

Trustees of Endowment Fund—Mr. Chas. Gurd, Mr. Macaulay, Mr. Moodie.

LADIES' AUXILIARY COMMITTEE.

Officers—Mrs. C. R. Black, Hon. President; Mrs. W. D. Lighthall, President; Mrs. W. H. Miner, First Vice-President; Mrs. Hugh Pedley, Second Vice-President; Mrs. W. H. Smith, Secretary; Mrs. Chas. Gurd, Treasurer, 523 Argyle Ave., Westmount.

Committee—Mesdames, R. W. McLachlan, C. Cushing, D. Hadley, T. W. Davidson, A. McA. Murphy, Wm. Watson, John Leslie, W. H. Warriner, Kilbourn, and Miss Surgeon.

THE SENATE.

Registrar—Rev. W. Henry Warriner, D.D., 681 Shuter Street.

The Governors—Members of the Faculty.

Representatives of the Congregational Union of Canada—Rev. Galen H. Craik, B.A., F. A. Stevenson, D.M.D., W. H. Smith, Esq., Rev. Frank J. Day, D.D.

Representatives of the Alumni Association—Rev. H. I. Horsey, Rev. G. Ellery Read.

Representatives of the Union of N.S. and N.B.—Rev. C. C. Claris, Brooklyn.

FACULTY.

Rev. Henry Warriner, M.A., D.D., Acting Principal, Professor of New Testament Literature, Exegesis and Ecclesiastical Theology and Registrar; Rev. E. A. Cook, B.D., Ph.D., Professor of Systematic Theology and the Philosophy of Religion.

Associate Examiners—Rev. J. T. Daley, B.A., Rev. F. J. Day, B.A., B.D., Rev. G. Ellery Read.

Librarian—Rev. Prof. E. A. Cook, B.D., Ph.D.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

Officers—Rev. J. T. Daley, B.A., President; Rev. R. Wilson Carr, Secretary-Treasurer.

FORM OF BEQUEST FOR THE COLLEGE.

I give and bequeath to the Treasurer, for the time being, of the Congregational College of Canada, a body corporate, by Act of Parliament of the Province of Canada, A.D. 1864, the sum of ..... (either without designation, or "*to be added to the Endowment Fund of said* College") out of my estate, without any charge or deduction whatever, to be paid with all convenient speed after my decease; and I direct that the receipt of the Treasurer, for the time being of the said College, shall be sufficient and valid discharge of said legacy.

BY-LAWS.

Chapter I.

1. The Corporation shall be called "The Congregational College of Canada."

2. Its objects shall be the education of ministers of the Gospel and the encouragement and inauguration of ministers of the Gospel and the encouragement and inauguration of all desirable educational methods and movements, whereby the efficiency of the church may be advanced.

3. Contributors of two dollars annually to the Funds of the College shall be members of the Corporation. A contributor in arrears one year shall not be qualified to vote at the meeting of the Corporation, or to exercise his other rights of membership. The Treasurer's subscription list shall be taken as evidence of contribution.

4. Churches contributing for the previous year to the current expenses of the College the sum of ten dollars and upwards may be represented at the meeting of the Corporation by one delegate for each church; those contributing twenty-five dollars or upwards for the previous year, by two delegates; and those contributing fifty dollars or upwards for the previous year, by three delegates.

5. Persons by whom or on whose behalf one hundred dollars or more shall have been contributed at any one time to the funds of the College, may be chosen life members of the Corporation.

6. A regular meeting of the Corporation shall be held annually, for the reception of the report of the Governors, the election of a new Board according to provisions hereinafter named, and the transaction of other necessary business.

7. The annual meeting shall be held at the same time and place as the Congregational Union of Canada.

8. Special meetings of the Corporation may be held for the transaction of special business at the call of the Board of Governors, or on a requisition to that effect to the Chairman of the Board of Governors, signed by at least twenty members of the Corporation; provided always that no such special meetings be held without one month's notice thereof in an accredited newspaper in Toronto and Montreal, and also in the *Canadian Congregationalist.*

Chapter II.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

1. A Board of fifteen Governors, having power to choose their own officers, shall be elected from members of the Corporation. Five members of the Board shall constitute a quorum. Honorary Advisory Governors may be appointed at any annual meeting. Such appointees shall require to have served the corporation at some time as active governors. Such appointments shall be for life.

2. Three members of the Board shall retire annually, in rotation, but shall be eligible for re-election.

3. The powers and duties of the Board shall be:

(*a*) The administration of the property of the College and the management of its finances.

(*b*) The appointment and removal of all officers of the College.

(*c*) The general oversight and management of the affairs of the College, and

(*d*) The presentation of an annual report of the general condition of the College to the Corporation at the next regular meeting.

4. Any member of the Board absent from its meetings for a year shall be held *ipso facto* to have vacated his seat, but may be re-appointed or re-elected thereto.

5. Vacancies in the Board, whether occurring by death or resignation or otherwise, may be filled by the Board whenever it may see fit.

6. It shall be competent for the Board of Governors to appoint annually an Executive committee from its membership, which Committee shall exercise, between the meetings of the Board, such powers as may be delegated to it by the Board of Governors.

7. The Board of Governors shall be called together at the close of the annual meeting of the Corporation, for organization and other needful business. They shall hold an annual meeting at a convenient time before the annual meeting of the Corporation; a special meeting may be called at any time by the Chairman and Secretary, or by the Secretary, at the request of five members.

Chapter III.

THE SENATE.

1. There shall be a Senate, which shall be composed of:—(1) The members of the Board of Governors; (2) The Faculty; (3) Four representatives chosen annually by the Alumni Association; (4) Four representatives chosen annually by the Congregational Union of Ontario and Quebec; (5) Two representatives chosen annually by the Congregational Union of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Seven members of the Senate shall constitute a quorum.

2. The Senate shall frame regulations for and supervise all matters of education, honors and discipline.

3. The Principal shall be a member of the Faculty and ex-officio President of the Senate.

4. The Registrar shall be a member of the Faculty and ex-officio Secretary of the Senate.

5. The Senate shall meet annually within one month preceding the close of the Session, at the College, in the City of Montreal, and at such other times and places as the interests of the College may require, and shall make an annual report to the Corporation through the Board of Governors.

Chapter IV.

1. The Principal and Professors, with such members of the Senate as from time to time may be appointed by the Board of Governors, constitute the Faculty, and as such are entrusted with the educational work of the College and the enforcement of its regulations under the direction of the Senate. The Principal shall be ex-officio Chairman of the Faculty.

2. Members of the Faculty must be members of a Congregational Church.

3. Members of the Faculty shall not be members of the Board of Governors, but the Principal shall be a consulting member of the Board of Governors, and of standing committees appointed by the Board or the Senate.

Chapter V.

THE OFFICERS.

1. The Chairman of the Board of Governors shall be Presiding Officer of the Corporation.

2. The President of the Senate shall preside at all public functions of the College.

3. The Secretary of the Senate shall be Registrar of the College.

Chapter VI.

AMENDMENTS.

Amendments to these By-laws may be made at any regular meeting of the Corporation, provided that notice of such amendment has been given at the meeting next preceding.

GRADUATES OF CONGREGATIONAL COLLEGE.

DOCTORS OF DIVINITY.

George, Joseph Henry, M.A. (Victoria), Ph.D. (Boston).Sprinfield, Mo., 1900
Warriner, William Henry, M.A. (McGill), D.D. (Victoria).Montreal, Que., 1900
Rowland, Alfred, LL.B., B.A. (London) .....London, Eng., 1902
Currie, Walter T., B.A. (McGill)....Chisamba, Vancouver Island, B.C., 1907
Hooke, Daniel Burford ..... London, Eng., 1909
Macallum, Frederick William, B.A. (McGill)....Constantinople, Turkey, 1912
Pedley, Hugh, B.A. (McGill) ..... Montreal, Que., 1912
Hill, Edward Munson, M.A., D.D. (Beloit) .....Montreal, Que., 1915
Unsworth, Joseph K., B.A. (McGill).....Saskatoon, B.C., 1915
Gunn, William T., M.A. (McGill) B.D. (C.C.C.).....Toronto, Ont., 1915
Day, Frank J., M.A. (McGill), B.D. (C.C.C.) .....Toronto, Ont., 1915

BACHELORS OF DIVINITY.

Hambly, David D., B.A. (Manitoba Coll.) ..... U.S.A., 1899
Rice, Horace G., M.A. (McGill) ..... Dowd Hill, Sas., 1902
Hindley, J. G., M.A. (McGill) ..... Toronto, 1907
Drysdale, Robt. J., M.A. (Yale) ..... Rochester, N.Y., 1908
Schrag, A. R. ..... Calgary, Alberta, 1910
Moule, Herbert, B. H. (Springfield) ..... Arkona, 1911
Powell, G. L., M.A. (McMaster) Ph.D. (Boston) ..... Caldwell, Idaho, 1911
Tucker, John Taylor ..... Chisamba, Africa, 1912
Knight, Ernest Frederick ..... Calcutta, India, 1913

GRADUATES.

Those marked by an * have died.

Alexander, J. L., B.D. ..... Ottawa, Ont. 1897
Allworth, W. H.* 1845
Allworth, John H., M.A. ..... Odell, Ill. 1873
Anthony, S. W. ..... St. Albans, Vt. 1905
Ashdown, C. R., B.A. ..... Toronto, Ont. 1897
Austin, James M. ..... Medford, Wis. 1889
Baker, W. E. ..... Morrisville, Vt. 1905
Baird, Robert G.* 1857
Ball, George W. ..... Colpton, N.S. 1894
Barker, Enoch ..... Toronto, Ont. 1854
Bayne, Thomas 1846
Black, R. K.* 1852
Black, James R., B.A. ..... Toronto, Ont. 1874
Blyth, Robert B., B.A. ..... Springfield, Mo. 1900
Bolton, Charles E.* 1881
Bowles, John* 1845
Boyd, James 1856
Bradshaw, J. E. 1897
Brown, Robert* 1861
Brown, John* 1861
Brown, John L. ..... Snow Flake, Man. 1894
Bryning, Joseph 1860
Burchill, Robert ..... Clifton, Ont. 1861
Burpee, Archibald* 1855
Campbell, John* 1855
Carr, Robert Wilson ..... Edgar, Ont. 1911
Carson, Hermon Alfred, B.A. ..... Montreal, Que. 1904
Claris, W. H. A. ..... London, Ont. 1872
Claris, C. C. ..... Brooklyn, N.S. 1902
Clarke, William F.* 1844
Cornwell, Albert G. ..... Elmira, N.Y. 1909
Cossar, Andrew O. 1876
Cox, Jacob W., B.A. ..... Sheffield, N.B. 1877
Craik, Galen H., B.A. ..... Melbourne, Que. 1892
Currie, Walter T., B.A., D.D.* 1885
Daley, James T., B.A. ..... Cobourg, Ont. 1890
Davey, Frank ..... Mono Mills, Ont. 1888
Davey, Wm. J. ..... Belfast, Ireland 1908
Day, Benjamin W.* 1861
Day, F. J., M.A., D.D. ..... Toronto, Ont. 1896

Dickson, J. A. R., D.D.*		1865
Douglas, James		1865
Drysdale, R. J., M.A., B.D.	Rochester, N.Y.	1902
Duff, Charles, M.A.*		1862
Ebbs, Edward*		1843
Ewing, William, B.A., D.D.	Boston, Mass.	1879
Extence, George	Toronto, Ont.	1895
Fenwick, Kenneth M.*		1847
Finton, Samuel		1842
Fraser, John*		1852
Fuller, George	London, Eng.	1883
Geikie, John Cunningham, D.D.*		1848
Gerrie, A. W., B.A.	Pasadena, Cal.	1885
Gerrie, John P., B.A.	Edmonton, Alta.	1888
Gervan, Geo. S.	Stoney Beach, Sask.	1908
Greenaway, R. Brandon	Winona, Minn.	1901
Griffith, Joseph*		1873
Grisbrook, E. O.	New-Hartford, Conn.	1893
Gunn, W. T., M.A., D.D.	Toronto, Ont.	1892
Hamilton, D. S., B.A.	Winnipeg, Man.	1894
Hamilton, Wm. John, B.D.	Edmonton, Alta.	1903
Hambly, David D., B.A., B.D.	Grangeville, Idaho	1899
Harding, A. E.		1899
Hart, John O.		1887
Harvey, W. R.	Desborough, England	1905
Hay, William*		1847
Hay, James*		1852
Hay, Robert*		1858
Hindley, J. I., Ph.D.*		1869
Hindley, J. G., M.A., B.D.	Toronto, Ont.	1907
Hindley, Geo. J.	(Enlisted)	1911
Hodgskin, Thomas I.		1845
Horsey, Harold I.	(Enlisted)	1896
Houghton, Ola R.	Bakersville, Vt.	1908
Hutchinson, J. J.	Lyndonville, Vt.	1906
Jackson, Samuel N., M.D.*		1866
Jackson, W. Parkyn	St. Albans, Vt.	1895
Kean, John R.*		1860
Kelly, Matthew	Fergus, Ont.	1896
King, Stephen*		1842
Kribs, Ludwick*		1841
Lancashire, Henry*		1847
Lee, Wilberforce		1889
Lewis, Richard*		1862
Lumsden, Richard*		1843
Lyman, E. S., B.C.L.*		1866
Macallum, Daniel	Kingston, Ont.	1852
Macallum, F. W., B.A., D.D.	Bitlis, Russia	1889
Mair, John	Edmonton, Alberta	1897
Malcolm, John F.	Loring, Ont.	1877
Marling, F. H., D.D.*		1848
Mason, Horace C., B.A.	Seattle, Wash.	1889
Mason, H. E.	Dayton, Wash.	1895
Mackenzie, A. J.	Winnipeg, Man.	1911
McAdie, James		1887
McDonald, A.		1857

McFadyen, A. L., B.A.	Toronto, Ont.	1879
McGlashan, Leonard*		1842
McGregor, Alexander*		1862
McGregor, Duncan, M.A.*		1872
McGregor, A. F., B.A.	Niagara, Ont.	1878
McGuire, John		1897
McIntosh, William*		1874
McKay, Charles*		1846
McKillican, John*		1851
McKillop, Malcolm*		1858
McKinnon, John	Pilot Mound, Man.	1881
McLeod, Norman	Humbolt, Iowa	1844
McLeod, Alexander*		1887
Moore, Churchill	Ayre's Cliff, Que.	1890
Morton, H. A., B.A.		1902
Moule, Herbert, B.H., B.D.	Arkona, Ont.	1911
Munroe, Thomas A., B.A.	Frobisher, Sask.	1900
Munroe, William	St. Lamberts, Que.	1900
Nighswander, D.D.*		1872
Noble, E. A.*		1853
Orr, Arthur J.	Scotland, Ont.	1913
Peacock, Wm. M.*		1869
Pedley, Hugh, B.A., D.D.	Montreal, Que.	1877
Pedley, J. W., B.A.	Toronto, Ont.	1885
Pedley, Hilton, B.A.	Maebashi, Japan	1889
Pierce, Ira W.	Harpoot, Turkey	1910
Pollock, A. F., B.D.	Granby, Que.	1896
Pritchard, W. S., B.A., B.D.	Odessa, Wash.	1893
Rawson, George A.	Los Angeles, Cal.	1860
Read, Frank W., B.A.*		1892
Read, George E.	Sherbrooke, Que.	1893
Rice, Horace G., M.A., B.D.	Dowd Hill, Sask.	1901
Rice, E. LeRoy, B.A.	Stanstead, Que.	1910
Richardson, A. W., B.A., M.D.	Kingston, Ont.	1884
Ritchie, George	Salt Lake City	1852
Robinson, Robert*		1845
Robertson, George, B.A.	Redlands, Cal.	1882
Rose I. Adams	East Burke, Vt., U.S.A.	1905
Ross, R. O., B.A., M.D.	Charleston, Vt.	1892
Ross, Arthur B., B.A.	Princeton, N.J., U.S.A.	1899
Saer, J. B., B.D.	Toronto, Ont.	1880
Sanderson, John G.*		1862
Schrag, Astor R.	Calgary, Alberta	1904
Seawright, Thomas		1847
Secord, Albert	Alexandria, Minn.	1900
Shanks, Philip*		1856
Silcox, Edwin D.	Toronto, Ont.	1876
Silcox, J. B., D.D.	London, Ont.	1876
Skinner, George E.	Cornish, N.H., U.S.A.	1882
Sleep, A. G.	London, Eng.	1911
Smith, Malcolm	St. Paul, Minn.	1862
Snell, Thomas*		1846
Solandt, Andrew P., B.A.	Wahoo, Nebraska, U.S.A.	1888
Stillman, Henry W., S.T.L.		1904
Strasenberg, G., M.D.	Lima, N.Y.	1861
Swanson, I. J., B.A.	Lima, Ohio	1890

Sampson, Percy V.	Calgary, Alta.	1916
Teale, Arthur E.	Waterville, Que.	1915
Thomas, Richard T.*		1865
Tippett, B. V.	Lorain, Ohio, U.S.A.	1908
Tucker, John T., B.D.	Chisamba, Africa	1911
Unsworth, J. K., B.A., D.D.	Saskatoon, Sask.	1887
Vincent, James	Salem, Mich.	1842
Wallace, Robt. W., B.A., B.D.*		1872
Warriner, W. Henry, M.A., D.D.	Montreal, Que.	1878
Watt, William J.	Doon, Iowa	1889
Watt, James C., B.A.	Duncan, Arizona	1896
Watt, Robert G., B.D.	Edmonton, Alta.	1896
Way, William H.		1883
Whyte, George M.	Provincetown, Mass., U.S.A.	1885
Wickson, George C.		1847
Wickson, Arthur, LL.D.*		1848
Willett, George	San Luis Obisipo, California	1878
Williams, J. Manville	Kettle Falls, Wash.	1901
Wood, John*		1851
Woodley, E. C., M.A.	Marash, Turkey	1902
Wright, James C.	Bluff, Washington	1878

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATIONAL COLLEGE OF CANADA.

The Annual Meeting of the Congregational College of Canada was held in the Congregational Church, Sherbrooke, on Friday, June 9th, 1916, at 2 p.m.

The Chairman of the Board of Governors, Mr. Charles Gurd, presided.

The meeting opened with a hymn, followed by prayer by Dr. Hill.

The minutes of last Annual Meeting were taken as read—and approved.

The report of the Board of Governors was presented by its Secretary.

The report of the Librarian and the report of the Senate were read by Rev. W. H. Warriner, D.D.

The report of the House Committee and that of the Ladies' Auxiliary Committee, were read by Mr. A. McA. Murphy.

The financial report was read by Mr. Thos. Moodie, Treasurer.

Mr. Gurd read the report of the Auditor, Mr. E. A. Wright.

It was moved that the matter of completing the audit be left in the hands of the Board of Governors. Carried.

The several reports as read were received and adopted.

Moved by Rev. E. D. Silcox, seconded by Rev. A. Margrett—that the matter of an appropriation to the Canadian Congregationalist be referred to the Board of Governors. Carried.

Moved by Rev. James T. Daley, seconded by Rev. E. D. Silcox—that the services of a professional accountant be employed to audit the accounts of the College for the ensuing year; the choice to be left with the Board of Governors. Carried.

A communication from the Alumni Association concerning ministerial representation on the Board of Governors was read and discussed.

Moved by Rev. G. E. Read, seconded by Rev. F. J. Day, D.D.—that the retiring members of the Board be re-elected, viz., J. R. Dougall, Esq., M.A., Montreal; Judge S. P. Leet, Montreal; Arthur Congdon, Winnipeg. Carried.

Moved by Mr. John Black, Hamilton, seconded by Rev. Henry J. Kilbourn—that the thanks of the Corporation be extended to the officers and faculty for valued services rendered. Carried.

The Rev. David N. Beach, D.D., Bangor, led in prayer.

The meeting adjourned.

JAMES T. DALEY,
Minute Secretary.

THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS FOR 1915-16.

There are included as part of this report, the annual reports to the Board of the Senate, Librarian, House Committee, Ladies' Auxiliary and Treasurer.

Your Board would express regret that it has not yet attained success in securing a new Principal. Your Board, however, has been fortunate in securing several lecturers of pronounced distinction and merit, whose services are referred to in detail in the report of the Senate.

On Feb. 9th, last, the following resolution was adopted by the Board, viz.:

"That it be recognized as a fact that it is hardly possible or desirable to secure a permanent Principal at this time of all absorbing national concern; and it is inopportune to attempt to raise the College revenue just now to the required standard to secure the outstanding quality of man we are practically pledged to.

"That, therefore, an effort be made for the coming session to either 'borrow' a professor of homiletics, or secure the services of a minister of sufficient warmth, scholastic standing and experience to fittingly represent our College in the teaching of homiletics to the Co-operating Colleges.

"That Dr. Pedley and the Secretary be appointed and empowered to give effect to this recommendation; it being understood that there be no restriction placed upon such a Committee as to the denomination or nationality of such temporary teacher; save that his sympathies be pronouncedly and unequivocally pro-British."

Emanating from this resolution, arrangements have been made for a short course of lectures in Homiletics by Rev. G. Glen Atkins, D.D., of Providence, R.I., and arrangements are in progress with other men of eminent inspirational power, for short courses. The Co-operating Colleges have expressed appreciation of the contributions of the Congregational College in this way.

Your Board felt the loss of the late Dr. Scrimger, Ex-Dean of the Co-operating Colleges, who died during his vacation of a year ago—and adopted the following resolution, which the Board feels will be feelingly endorsed by the Corporation at large:—

"That this Board does record its sense of loss in the death of the late Rev. Principal John Scrimger, and its deep sympathy with his bereaved wife and family; also its sympathy with the Presbyterian College and the Presbyterian body generally, in the loss of a leader so greatly gifted in scholarship, executive judgment and personal kindliness of spirit.

"This Board would further record its appreciation of the many acts and evidences of helpful interest expressed towards this College, and the denominational fellowship it represents, and would bear its testimony to the zeal and integrity with which he contributed so effectively to the upbuilding of national ideals and broad Christian brotherliness."

Your Board invited suggestions at all times, with respect to filling the vacant principalship, or any other subjects of interest to the College, and would urge a larger response than prevails in the matter of financial support.

Your Board, during the past year, has received intimation of two legacies, viz.:

$5,000.00 from the late Jonathan Brown, payable at the death of his widow, and an amount from the late Truman Silcox of Frome, Ont., to be applied to the English Bible Lectureship Fund. This amount originally consisted of a preliminary payment of $500.00 and a residue, following the death of his widow and son. It having been ascertained that the family of the benefactor desired an immediate settlement, your Board delegated an authorized representative to meet all the interested parties in conference and conclude such an arrangement, the details of which will shortly be announced.

The Governors who retire at this meeting are:—J. Redpath Dougall, Esq., Judge Seth P. Leet, Arthur Congdon, Esq.

Respectfully submitted,

A. McA. Murphy,
Secretary.

THE SENATE'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING APRIL, 1916. SEVENTY-SIXTH SESSION.

The past session has been one of the most remarkable for many years. We have had only one Professor giving his whole time to the work. In him has centred the functions of Acting-Principal, Registrar, Librarian, Secretary of the Faculty and Professor. Nevertheless we are glad to report that the work of the session has been prosecuted with a fair amount of success. This

has been due in great part to the co-operation of the four Theological Colleges of Montreal; indeed this alone has made possible the maintenance of the regular classes.

In anticipation of this great, and as we hope, temporary reduction of the staff, the Board of Governors appointed four members of the Senate, viz., Revs. Hugh Pedley, D.D., Frank J. Day, D.D., G. Ellery Read, and J. R. Dougall, Esq., to constitute with the Acting Principal the Faculty of the College. The Faculty has had four regular meetings during the session, at which reports on the work done have been presented, and questions affecting the management of the College have been determined.

STUDENTS.

Three new students were admitted, viz., W. L. Cassidy, of the Point St. Charles Church, Montreal, and Herbert Norman Jackson, of Oswestry, Wales, both to the Preparatory Course, and Edward D. Hughes of Caergwrle, Wales, to the Final Preparatory Year.

Early in the session Mr. H. L. Broomfield of the First Year Arts, enlisted for overseas service, and Mr. W. C. Watson of the Junior Theological Year, withdrew at the close of the session to accept a call to the Congregational Church at Winthrop, Vermont.

Fifteen students have been in attendance on the classes throughout the year. Another has just completed his course in Toronto University, and will be with us for Theology next session. In addition to these this College has contributed its quota to the forces now fighting under the banner of the Empire for the liberties of the world. The following is our

HONOR ROLL.

Sergeant Godfrey Cooper, B.A., 23rd Battalion.
Pte. Charles Cushing, B.A., P.P.C.L.I.
Pte. O. S. Craik, No. 6 Field Ambulance.
Pte. T. B. Bale, No. 3 Canadian General Hospital.
Pte. A. L. Richards, No. 3 Canadian General Hospital.
Corp. H. L. Broomfield, 35th Dragoons of Brant.
Pte. J. H. Schofield, No. 6 Canadian Garrison Artillery (McGill).

SPECIAL LECTURE COURSES.

In view of the fact that consequent upon the resignation of the Principal of this College, the courses in the Co-operating Colleges in the department of Pastoral Training had been left without adequate provision, the Board of Governors arranged for two special courses, each of which proved to be eminently successful.

The Rev. J. S. Woodsworth, B.A., the founder and secretary of the Social Welfare League of Canada, during the whole of the first term conducted classes three hours each week in the study of social problems. Mr. Woodsworth also took his classes on tours of inspection among many of the most important social institutions of the city, and required of the students personal investigations into the workings of these various institutions.

In the second term the Rev. Charles R. Brown, D.D., Dean of the School of Religion, Yale University, delivered a course of five lectures on the general subject of the "Sermon." These last lectures were given on "The Mary McKechnie Foundation," and proved to be one of the most popular and helpful series of public lectures ever given to the students of the Theological College of Montreal. Our College Hall was filled each day with an audience of students and pastors, some of the latter coming in from outlying towns.

These two courses were recognized by the friends of the sister colleges as a distinct and valuable contribution on our part to the common courses of the Co-operating Colleges.

EXAMINATIONS.

The Christmas and sessional examinations were held as usual. We have had seven men in the Preparatory Courses; some of these will enter Theology next session, others, we hope, will enter upon the Arts Course of the University.

In the Theological classes our men were in competition with the students of the other Co-operating Colleges, and did creditable work.

Mr. Percy Victor Samson, B.A., is the only graduate in Thelogoy. He succeeded in winning the Stevenson Memorial (gold) Medal, and the Calvary Church (silver) Medal, as well as a Robert Anderson Bursary.

Three of our men received the degree of B.A. from McGill, viz.: Messrs. T. W. Jones, J. H. Schofield and J. A. Steed. The standing of each was very creditable. Mr. T. W. Jones led, with an average percentage of 82, and was awarded the Rev. John Fraser Memorial Scholarship of $60. In addition to their University work, Mr. J. A. Steed and Mr. T. W. Jones also wrote on certaian examinations of the B.D. course, as did also Rev. A. E. Teale, pastor of the Congregational Church at Waterville. The College is glad to have our younger pastors keep up their post-graduate studies, and will be pleased to co-operate in every way in its power.

It should also be mentioned that the College has conducted several examinations for men taking the Union Reading Course.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

We are pleased to report that Mr. Gurd, the Chairman of the Board, who for some years has generously supplied the magazine table, has again shown his continued interest in the welfare of the students. As the Common Library of the Co-operating Colleges has been supplied with magazines, it was felt that fewer were required for this Institution. Mr. Gurd, however, placed the usual amount in the hands of the Acting Principal, and with the unused portion were secured tickets which admitted our students to the splendid gymnasium of the Y.M.C.A.

The thanks of the College are also due to Dr. Harold Cushing for his professional services, freely rendered. This year we have, unfortunately, suffered from a good deal of sickness among the students. We are pleased, however, to report that the health of the students is now fairly good. It has meant much to the comfort and welfare of all, that we have had a Doctor who, like his predecessor, is both competent and kind.

The Acting Principal desires personally to acknowledge the fine spirit of the students, which greatly helped to make the work smooth and easy. The attendance on morning prayers has been particularly good. He would single out for special mention the Pulpit Supply Committee, Messrs. McMinn and Samson, who met with him each week to arrange a somewhat delicate and difficult piece of work. Mr. Samson also, in addition to his duties as Senior Student, assisted the Acting Principal in the care of the Library.

The thanks of the College are also due to the Rev. J. B. Silcox, D.D., for his inspiring address at the closing convocation, on "John Wesley and the Reformation of the 18th Century."

Respectfully submitted.

W. H. WARRINER.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1916.

To the Board of Governors:

Gentlemen:—The undersigned, in taking over the care of the Library from Dr. Cook, found everything in good shape, and, as the financial statement herewith appended shows, with a balance on hand of $82.66. This balance has been considerably increased during the year. The increase is due to the larger income derived from collections, and also to the fact the Librarian deemed it best in the present circumstances to limit the purchase of new books to those only which seemed most necessary. About thirty books have been added to the Library by purchase, and the Rev. D. C. McIntosh, of Lanark, kindly donated a Polyglot Bible in two large volumes.

As to the magazines, it has not been found necessary to purchase so many as in former years, since the Board of the Co-operating Colleges now furnishes an admirable list to the Library of the Central Building. It will, however, still be wise to supply a few of those most in demand in each individual College.

In this connection we would thank Mr. Charles Gurd for his continued and generous support of our magazine table. His gift was considerably larger than appears from the financial statement, but the remainder of it was, with his kind consent, used to provide for our students the advantages of the admirable gymnasium of the Y.M.C.A.

The undersigned would also thank Mr. Percy V. Samson, B.A., Senior Student, for his assistance in the Library throughout the session.

W. Henry Warriner,
Librarian.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING MAY 31st, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year (per Dr. A. E. Cook)		$82 66
Collections—		
Opening Exercises	$16 15	
Lecture, Prof. C. R. Brown	22 43	
Closing Exercises	34 38	
		72 96
Donation, Chas. Gurd, Esq., for Magazines		14 00
Refund, Wm. Dawson & Sons, Ltd., for Magazines not delivered		2 75
Interest on Endowment		50 25
Bank Interest		1 90
		$224 52

EXPENDITURES.

Books Purchased	$49 71
Magazines	20 50
Express and Postage	81
Balance on hand	153 50
	$224 52

Balance in Bank $153.50.

W. Henry Warriner,
Librarian.

To the Board of Governors,
Congregational College of Canada:

Gentlemen:—Your Committee would report a satisfactory year.

Considerable expense was incurred for the renovation of the front steps, which had not been replaced since their original construction. Other repairs were in accordance with usual requirements.

Your Committee has in process, the repacking of the two furnaces, and certain other necessary repairs to the sheds.

Your Committee is pleased to state that the Steward and Stewardess rendered their usual satisfactory service.

The harmonious co-operation of the Acting-Principal was helpful and appreciated.

Your Committee would express particular appreciation of the tactful, timely and generous services of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. GURD,
Chairman House Committee.

Montreal, June 2nd, 1916.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LADIES' AUXILIARY COMMITTEE OF THE CONGREGATIONAL COLLEGE, YEAR ENDING MAY 30th, 1916.

During the year three meetings have been held, with large attendance at each. Contributions of money have been received from the following churches:—Brantford, Hamilton, Bond Street (Toronto), Zion (Montreal), Point St. Charles, Danville.

Bond Street Church has also sent a rug and towels for its room.

The Committee sent Christmas boxes to the students who were at the front, namely:—Messrs. Cushing, Craik, Bayle, Richards and Fairgrieve.

Needed articles have been purchased for dining room and kitchen, and curtains made for sitting room windows.

The Treasurer reports receipts $54.00 and disbursements $56.95.

NELLIE P. SMITH,
Secretary.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

The President and Board,
Congregational College of Canada, Montreal:

Gentlemen:—I have examined the Cash and Revenue Accounts for the year ending May 31st, 1916, and compared them with the books, and find them to agree therewith. The expenditures shown are corroborated by vouchers. The Receipts and Disbursement Account of the Endowment Fund, has also been audited and found correct, as far as I could go, as I have not seen the bank book for this account. The list of assets are substantially as shown by ledger balances, but I have not seen the securities.

Yours very truly,

E. A. WRIGHT, L.I.A.,
Auditor.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer in presenting his report for the year ending 31st May, 1916, has still to report that a large proportion of our churches do not show any interest in the work of our College.

In the Western Association, out of 27 churches, only 12 remitted $205.95.

In the Central Association, out of 14 churches, only 8 remitted $216.98.

In the Eastern Association, out of 10 churches, only 8 remitted $132.08.

United Brethren, for 2 years, $22.00.

In the Quebec Association, out of 21 churches, only 13 remitted $938.67.

In the North West Association, out of 10 churches, only 2 remitted $79.65.

In the Maritime Association, out of 18 churches, only 12 remitted $69.57.

Fifty-five churches out of a total of 100 have contributed. What is the reason the other 45 have not? Your officers have tried their best to get them interested, but so far without success.

Our thanks are due to Mrs. Miner for her generous annual contribution of $1,800.00.

Last year we reported an accumulation of deficits amounting to $3,304.20. This year it is slightly reduced to $3,083.74.

On behalf of the Trustees' Endowment Fund I have to report the first loss on investments. We held $6,000.00, par value, of National Bridge Co. bonds, costing us 98½ per cent. The Dominion Bridge Co. got control, with the result that the holders of the bonds were offered and thought it advisable to accept 75c. on the dollar, a loss to us of $1,410.00. The total assets of Endowment showing a decrease on last year of $1,211.68.

The investments, as they now stand, are all in good shape, an increased amount being in mortgages on real estate, at 7 per cent.

I hereby present the financial statements, duly audited.

The whole respectfully submitted,

THOS. MOODIE,
Treasurer.

Montreal, 1st June, 1916.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st MAY, 1916.

CASH ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year		$ 106 77
Interest from Endowment Fund	$6,628 68	
Less unpaid	135 00	
		6,493 68
Interest on Subscriptions		72 88
Contributions		3,536 90
Specials		42 75
Room Rent		227 00
Loan from C.P.F.S.		29 16
On Account Student Loans		118 00
Prizes and Bursaries		120 00
Graduate Diploma		2 00
		$10,749 14

EXPENDITURE.

Teaching	$6,842 00
Students	888 58
College Buildings	676 68
Management	927 20
Interest	217 62
Prizes and Bursaries	300 00
Ogilvie Milling Co., Sinking Fund	43 32
Congregational Provident Fund Society	143 10
Student Loans	200 00
Convocation	42 50
Balance	468 10
	$10,749 14

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Interest from Endowment	$6,628 68	
Interest on Subscriptions	72 88	
		$6,701 56
Collections—		
Ontario	$ 649 01	
Quebec	2,738 67	
Maritime	69 57	
North West	79 65	
Specials	42 75	
		3,579 65
Room Rent		227 00
On Account Student Loans		118 00
Mrs. Mary McKechnie Lectureship		150 00
Graduate Diploma		2 00
Deficit		3,083 73
		$13,861 94

EXPENDITURE.

Deficit last year		$3,304 20
Teaching—		
Principal Hill, 2 months	$ 458 40	
Professor Warriner	2,416 64	
Professor Cook	2,250 00	
Professor Woodsworth	800 00	
Dr. C. R. Brown	150 00	
Preparatory Class	225 00	
McGill Fees	542 00	
		6,842 04
Students—		
Proportion House Maintenance	$ 888 58	
Loans	200 00	
		1,088 58
College Buildings—		
Proportion Maintenance	$ 350 00	
Repairs	300 38	
Furnishing	26 30	
		676 68

Management—		
Office Expenses	$ 350 54	
Congregationalist	200 00	
Union Guarantee	243 51	
Travelling	133 15	
		927 20
Interest—		
On Floating Debt, $2,400	$ 120 00	
On Loan	37 37	
On Donation	10 00	
On Library Endowment	50 25	
Y.P.S. Lectureship on E.B.	112 20	
		329 82
Prizes and Bursaries		487 60
Mrs. Mary McKechnie Lectureship		120 00
Convocation		42 50
Ogilvie Milling Co. Sinking Fund		43 32
		$13,861 94

ENDOWMENT FUND, CONGREGATIONAL COLLEGE OF CANADA.

Trustees' Statement for Year Ending 31st May, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year	$2,146 87
Received on Subscriptions	155 00
Mortgage Paid	5,000 00
Home Invest. & Savings Bonds Paid	9,000 00
National Bridge Co. Bonds	4,500 00
Ogilvie Milling Co. Sinking Fund	43 32
	$20,845 19

EXPENDITURE.

Mortgages at 7%	$16,000 00
Balance	4,845 19
	$20,845 19

ASSETS.

Mortgage on Real Estate	$52,500 00
Mortgage on Principal's Residence	8,000 00
Danville, Urbana & C. R'way 5% Bonds @ 92½%	6,475 00
Illinois Traction Co. 6% pref.	2,400 00
Illinois Traction Co. common	325 00
Colonial Invest. & Loan Co.	500 00
American Woolen Co. pref. @ 75%	4,041 31
Dominion Textile Co. 6% Bonds	2,000 00
Montreal Light, Heat & Power Co. 5% Bonds @ 99½%	3,980 00
Ogilvie Milling Co. 6% Bonds @ 112%	12,801 39
Dominion Coal Co. 7% pref. @ 109½ to 117%	12,643 35
Jacksonville R'y & Light 5% Bonds @ 90%	4,500 00
Bloomington Decatur & C. R'way 5% Bonds	1,000 00

Loans to C.C.C.	2,400 00
Cash in Bank	4,845 19
	$188,411 24
Assets, 1915	119,622 92
Decrease	$ 1,211 68

Audited and found correct,
E. A. WRIGHT, L.I.A., *Auditor.*

THOS. MOODIE,
Treasurer.

Montreal, 1st June, 1916.

SUMMARY.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.
(12 Churches).

Brantford	$21 25
Burford	7 55
Forest, Central	5 00
Frome	2 65
Guelph	50 00
Hamilton, First	80 24
London, First	12 86
New Durham	1 50
Scotland	8 50
Speedside	4 00
Tilbury	6 00
Woodstock	6 40
	$205 95

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.
(8 Churches).

Dalston	$ 2 00
Edgar	10 00
Rugby	7 00
Toronto, Bond St.	75 00
Northern	100 00
Western	28 44
Olivet	25 00
Broadview	21 54
	$268 98

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.
(8 Churches).

Kingston, First	$10 00
Bethel	9 00
Lanark	15 00
Maxville	41 00
Middleville	6 00
Hopetown	4 75
Rosetta	6 33
Ottawa, First	40 00
	$132 08
United Brethren, 2 years..	$22 00
Anonymous	20 00

QUEBEC ASSOCIATION.
(13 Churches).

Ayer's Cliff	$11 45
Cowansville	20 00
Danville	30 00
Ulverton	12 50
Granby	116 40
Melbourne	15 00
Montreal, Calvary	79 56
Zion	52 00
Emmanuel	501 16
Pt. St. Charles	10 60
Crystal Springs	5 00
Sherbrooke	60 00
Stanstead, South	20 00
Personal, D. Cook	5 00
	$938 67
Mrs. S. H. C. Miner	1,800 00
	$2,738 67

NORTH WEST ASSOCIATION.
(2 Churches).

Winnipeg, Central	$71 65
Carlton, Union	3 00
Personal, D. McPherson	5 00
	$79 65

MARITIME ASSOCIATION.
(12 Churches).

Brooklyn	$4 10
Chebogue	8 00
Liverpool	85
Lower Selmah	2 00
Margaree	4 25
Pleasant River	3 00
South Maitland	1 25
Yarmouth	6 00
Hemford	3 32
Baker's Settlement	2 08
Sheffield	17 50
St. John	10 86
Union N.S. and N.B.	6 36
	$69 57

THE CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF NOVA SCOTIA AND NEW BRUNSWICK.

Chairman—Rev. J. Sulston, Margaree, N.S.

Secretary—Rev. E. J. Thompson, Keswick Ridge, N.B.

Asst. Secretary—Rev. H. G. Wright, Kingsport, N.S.

Statistical Secretary—Rev. A. E. Mann, Lower Selmah, N.S.

Treasurer—J. W. Flewelling, St. John, N.B.

Union Committee—The Officers, with the Revs. J. W. Cox, R. J. Haughton, A. E. Mann, G. Miller, G. W. Ball, H. G. Wright, Messrs. F. G. Purnell, C. Durning, O. O. Davidson, W. Coburn, Enos McLeod, Capt. Willard Godfrey, A. Mouzar, A. Anthony and Messrs. Hilton and Gorham.

The sixty-ninth annual meeting was held in the Congregational Church, Brooklyn, N.S., on Wednesday, June 21st, 1916.

At 7.45 the Chairman, the Rev. W. J. Bevis, led the devotional meeting at 8 p.m. The Rev. Geo. Miller was appointed Minute Secretary, and the Revs. J. W. Cox and R. J. Haughton were appointed the Nominating Committee.

Mr. F. G. Purnell offered a cordial welcome to the Union, and the Rev. E. J. Thompson returned thanks. The Rev. H. G. Wright then addressed the assembly on "The Church's Message in a Time of Crisis." The offering was for the Union Fund.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22ND.

An intercession service "For Our Soldiers and Sailors" was held at 9.30. At 10 a.m. the Nominating Committee recommended the following Committees:—

Membership—Revs. E. J. Thompson and J. W. Cox, B.A.

Business—Revs. H. G. Wright, A. E. Mann, J. Sulston and Mr. C. Durning.

Resolutions—Revs. R. J. Haughton, W. G. Ball, A. E. Mann.

Public Service—Revs. F. G. Purnell, G. Miller and Mr. H. Smith.

The Secretary then called the roll and the following were present:

Ministers—Revs. J. W. Cox, B.A., G. W. Ball, E. J. Thompson, J. Bevis, H. G. Wright, R. J. Houghton, J. Sulston, A. E. Mann and Geo. Miller.

Delegates—Keswick Ridge, W. Coburn; Brooklyn, Mr. E. McLeod; Chebogue, Mr. Ricker; Economy, Miss Mover; Kingsport, O. Davidson; Lower Selmah, A. Anthony; Liverpool, Mr. Gorham; Noel, Miss Densmore; Margaree, J. Sulston; Pleasant River, Mrs. Mailman; Yarmouth, Y. E. Hilton; St. John, Miss Olive Flewwelling.

The reports of the Secretary, Statistical Secretary and Treasurer were adopted.

The Rev. G. Miller made application for membership and this was granted.

Greetings were conveyed to the Union by the Revs. Asbury and Watts of the Methodist Church, and the Secretary moved that the Revs. Mr. Asbury, Watts, G. Ellery Read, F. G. Purnell, with Mrs. Collins and Miss Bell, sit as corresponding members. At 10.45 the reports of the churches were received, after which Mr. Purnell read a paper entitled "The Responsibility in the Possession of Power."

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

At 2.30 the officers were elected, and the following appointments made:

Representative to C.C.M.S.—Rev. H. G. Wright; Alternate, Rev. W. J. Bevis.

Representative to C.C.F.M.S.—Rev. H. J. Haughton.

College Senate—Rev. J. W. Cox.

Union Preacher—Rev. E. J. Thompson; Alternate, Rev. A. E. Mann.

THURSDAY EVENING.

A service of intercession "For the Church," was led by the Rev. H. G. Wright, and at 8.15 the chairman gave his address, "The Church's Duty to the World." At 8.45 the Rev. Geo. Miller spoke on a "World that is Seeking Light." A collection was taken for the College.

FRIDAY, JUNE 23RD.

A praise service was held at 9.30 a.m., and the Union Committee held two sessions.

SATURDAY, JUNE 24TH.

The intercession service at 9.30 was led by Mr. F. G. Purnell. At 10 a.m. the Union Committee recommended:

1. That having heard Mr. Purnell's application for ordination to the Christian ministry, we desire to him and the members of the Brooklyn Church of our very high esteem, our conviction that he has been called by the great Shepherd of souls to labor in this field, and it is our very deep regret that we can make no exception to the rule of the Union. We desire to urge him with all brotherly affection to take the usual course of study, and express our willingness to ordain him immediately on its completion. If Mr. Purnell should desire a certificate of standing we gladly grant him such certificate.

2. That a committee consisting of Revs. J. W. Cox, H. G. Wright and Mr. J. W. Flewwelling be appointed to meet a committee of the Milton and Liverpool Churches to discuss future arrangements.

3. That the $500.00 to be handed in cash to the Treasurer by the representative of the late Treasurer, be invested in War Bonds.

4. That the Chairman and Secretary prepare a letter to be sent to the churches asking them to contribute to the Union Collection.

5. That the apportionments be as last year.

6. That the Union request a place on the Executive of the Summer School of Methods held under the auspices of N. S. Sunday School Association.

7. That the invitation of the Church at Economy to hold the Union meetings there in 1917 be accepted.

8. That a letter be sent to the churches, signed by the Chairman and Secretary, urging the adoption of the duplex envelope for the purpose of (a) increasing funds for local purposes and denominational gifts, (b) that the salaries of the ministers be increased as much as possible, (c) that the salaries may be paid promptly, so that the minister may be spared the embarassment often caused by lack of ready money.

Reports were received from the Finance, Public Services and Resolutions Committee.

SUNDAY, JUNE 25TH.

At 11 a.m. the annual Union Sermon was preached by the Rev. H. J. Haughton, and then followed the observance of the Lord's supper.

At 2.30 a mass young people's meeting was addressed by the Revs. J. Sulston and G. Miller. A collection was taken for C.C.F.M.S.

Public worship was held at 7 p.m., when the preacher was the Rev. H. G. Wright. After a helpful consecration service, thanks were expressed to all the friends in Brooklyn for their hospitality, and the Union adjourned to meet at Economy in 1917.

E. J. THOMPSON,
Secretary.

CANADA CONGREGATIONAL WOMAN'S BOARD OF MISSIONS.

President—Mrs. Thos. Moodie, 66 Hutchison Street, Montreal.

Vice-President—Mrs. H. E. Hume, 470 McLaren Street, Ottawa.

Vice-Presidents (Ex-Officio)—The Presidents of the Branches.

General Secretary—Miss L. M. Silcox, 4 Sussex Avenue, Toronto.

Treasurer—Miss Emily Thompson, 1275 Bathurst Street, Toronto.

Editor-in-Chief—Mrs. M. M. Savage, Knowlton, Que.

Assistant Editor—Miss M. E. Richardson, 415 Grosvenor Avenue, Westmount.

Superintendents and Conveners, 1914-15—Organization: Mrs. J. D. Nasmith, 111 Heath Street, Toronto; Home Missions: Miss E. A. MacCallum, 335 Brock Street, Toronto; Foreign Mission Supplies: Miss Edith Clark, 111 Heath Street, Toronto; Asst. Supt., L. M. Miatt, 63 Forest Hill Rd., Toronto; Missionary Literature: Miss Alice Arms, 375 Markham St., Toronto; Mission Circles and Bands: Mrs. F. W. Read, 2049 Waverley St., Montreal; Missionary Reading: Mrs. Peter Munroe, Maxville, Ontario; Associate Members: Mrs. J. H. Wickson, 5 Summerhill Gardens, Toronto, Ont.; Systematic and Proportionate Giving: Mrs. A. J. Heath, 58 Souvenir Ave., Montreal; Labrador Supplies: Miss Moodie, 150 Cote St. Antoine Rd., Montreal; Convener Business, 1916: Mrs. Henry Wickson, Toronto; Convener Resolutions, 1916: Mrs. Hume, Ottawa.

CONDENSED MINUTES OF THE THIRTIETH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE C.C.W.B.M.

The 30th Annual Meeting of the Canada Congregational Woman's Board of Missions convened in the First Church, Ottawa, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 30th, 31st, and June 1st, 1916. There were eighty visiting delegates, 92 registered.

The Executive met on the afternoon of May 30th, the opening session of the Convention being held that evening, the President conducting the opening exercises. Mrs. Moodie conveyed our greetings to the Methodist Board.

Mrs. W. H. Black and Miss H. S. Henderson were appointed Minute Secretaries. On recommendation of the Executive the various Committees were appointed for the sessions. Reports were heard from the different branches and unconnected Auxiliaries through the Secretaries. The N.S. and N.B. Branch will hereafter be known as the Maritime Branch.

Greetings were received from Rev. E. D. Silcox, Chairman of the Congregational Union, Rev. J. P. McNaughton of the American Board in Turkey, and Mrs. W. T. Currie. At the first luncheon greetings were received from the delegates of the Anglican, Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist Boards. Rev. Mr. Thackeray presided. Greetings were sent our missionaries in Africa, those on furlough and those in Turkey who could be communicated with. A letter of thanks was sent to the President of the Lyman Co., Toronto, and also to Mr. Faed of the same Co., for services rendered in connection with our foreign shipment. A loving message of sympathy and a box of roses was sent from the meeting to Mrs. Savage, the Editor of the Monthly Leaflet, who was unable to be present through illness and bereavement. Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Bayley brightened the afternoon sessions with delightful solos. The choirs of First and Welcome-Zion Churches assisted at the two evening sessions.

The first evening session was for the Young People, and was held in Welcome-Zion Church, Mrs. F. W. Read presiding for the President. Two illustrated addresses were given, the first by Miss Diadem Bell of our West Central African Mission on the work there, and the second by Rev. J. L. Alexander, recently Superintendent of our Russian Mission in Alberta. Mr. Alexander brought greetings from the C.C.M.S.

Mrs. E. M. Hill of Montreal was appointed to convey our greetings to the annual meetings of the C.C.F.M.S. and C.C.M.S., which were to be held at Sherbrooke, Que., the following week.

Mrs. Williams, President of the First Church Auxiliary, welcomed the delegates to the two churches and Mrs. Moodie replied, thanking the friends for their cordial greeting.

Mrs. F. W. Read and Mrs. J. F. Stevenson of Montreal, conducted the Quiet Hours, and Mrs. Lyall of Kingston, Mrs. R. Freeland of Toronto, Mrs. Daley of Cobourg, Mrs. Weegar of Maxville, led the devotional exercises.

The first report of the Publication Committee was received with considerable gratification, Mrs. Cale going fully into details of the work.

The President's address referred to the missionary situation in the world to-day, and the effect of the European War on the work; the outstanding Missionary Conventions of the year and the present outlook.

Miss Diadem Bell received a cordial welcome from the convention. Greetings were sent to Mrs. Sanderson, one of the two remaining Charter Members of the Board, and Mrs. J. B. Lamb of Ottawa; the other Charter Member was introduced to the meeting and spoke briefly of the days of organization in the First Church, Ottawa, under the guidance of Mrs. D. MacCallum.

The Annual Reports of the Secretary, Treasurer and Editors were listened to with the keenest interest and showed a year of successful efforts, increased giving and growing interest in the Mission Fields and Red Cross and Patriotic work. There were 2,200 subscribers to the leaflet.

The reports of the Superintendents were also most encouraging, not one having a despondent note. The officers and Superintendents were all re-elected, with the exception of Miss Maddock, Superintendent of Mission Bands, who was succeeded by Mrs. Read of Montreal. A letter of thanks for her earnest efforts of the past year was sent to Miss Maddock. The Publication Committee was also re-appointed, and Mrs. Henry Wickson was appointed Convener of the Business Committee for 1916, and Mrs. H. E. Hume Convener of the Committee on Resolutions.

A message of sympathy was sent to Mrs. Macmichael, acting President of the Maritime Branch, on the death of her husband. Greetings were also sent the Maritime Branch for its annual meeting on June 25th.

The regular pledged work for both Home and Foreign Missions was reassumed, with the following changes:—The Fire Fund is closed, the balance on hand, if necessary to be used as a nucleus for the building fund of the new Senior School at Chisamba. That $200 be added to our pledged work each year for travelling expenses of our missionaries. That we raise the balance required for the MacCallum Memorial Fund ($800), by special offerings during the year, and our Treasurer confer with business men in Toronto as to the investment of the Fund ($2,000). Seven hundred copies of the Annual Report were ordered to be printed, and disposed of at 10 cents each to defray the additional cost of the printing. The invitation of the Embro Auxiliary to meet with them in 1917 was accepted, and W. B. Unsworth was appointed Auditor, with a vote of thanks for his assistance this year.

Mrs. John Leslie of Montreal conducted the ever welcome "Question Drawer," and disposed of the queries with "neatness and despatch."

The ladies of Welcome Zion Church provided a tea for the visitors on the Wednesday evening in their church, some 200 partaking. On the Thursday

evening the Ottawa friends took the visitors for a delightful motor ride around the city, and along the wonderful Government Driveways, before the last session.

Two helpful papers were read on the Thursday afternoon, one by Mrs. Cody of Embro, on "The City Auxiliary, a helpful sister to the Country Society," and the other by Mrs. W. H. Black of Montreal, on the Country Auxiliary as a help to the City Auxiliary.

The Children's Hour was presided over by Mrs. Read. Miss Diadem Bell told of a ninety-mile monocycle trip from Railhead to Chisamba in Africa, and Mrs. Read and Miss Bell sang "Rescue the Perishing" in Umbundu.

Rev. Dr. Robt. Chambers, missionary of the American Board in Turkey for 37 years, was the speaker on the Thursday evening, and for over an hour held the unflagging interest of his audience as he told of his experiences amongst the Turks and Armenians, and of the recent persecutions of the Armenians in Turkey.

Resolutions bearing on the Temperance Legislation; on the War; urging our constituency to more earnest efforts to arouse interest in mission work among our children; also to make a special offering each year for our Publication Committee's work in printing new literature, etc., were strongly endorsed. At the close of the last session Mrs. Leslie voiced the feelings of the visitors in extending a very hearty vote of thanks to all who had so kindly entertained and assisted us in making the meetings such a success. Mr. Alexander pronounced the benediction and the meeting adjourned to convene in Embro in 1917.

L. M. SILCOX,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF C.C.W.B.M.

For Year Ending May 19th, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

GUELPH BRANCH.

Belwood Auxiliary		$ 53 25	
Berlin Auxiliary		28 00	
Fergus Ladies' Aid		1 50	
Garafraxa Auxiliary		10 00	
Guelph Auxiliary	$173 50		
Guelph Mission Band	26 60		
		200 10	
Speedside Auxiliary	15 00		
Speedside Mission Band	14 60		
		29 60	
			$322 45

LONDON BRANCH.

Embro Auxiliary	$159 75		
Embro Sunday School	20 00		
		179 75	
Forest Auxiliary	10 00		
Forest Mission Band	5 00		
Forest S. S. Girls' Class	1 60		
		16 60	
Frome Mission Circle		30 00	
London First Auxiliary		55 00	

London Southern Auxiliary	107 00		
London Girls' Circle	5 00		
London Girls' Mission Circle	5 00		
		117 00	
Watford Auxiliary		12 00	
Wingham Auxiliary		22 20	
			432 55

OTTAWA BRANCH.

Hopetown Auxiliary		35 00	
Kingston, Bethel M. Circle		5 00	
Kingston, Calvary, Auxiliary		10 50	
Kingston, First, Auxiliary	$37 00		
Kingston, First, Mission Circle	11 60		
Kingston, First, Sunday School	5 00		
Kingston, First, Adult Bible Class	5 00		
Kingston, First, S.S. Class	5 00		
Kingston, First, S.S. Class	1 60		
		65 20	
Lanark Auxiliary	15 00		
Lanark Mission Circle	1 60		
Lanark Mission Band	20 00		
		36 60	
Maxville and St. Elmo Auxiliary	145 50		
Maxville Girls' Mission Circle	5 00		
Maxville Boys' Brotherhood Class	2 50		
Maxville Mission Band	13 20		
		166 20	
Middleville Auxiliary		15 00	
Ottawa, First, Auxiliary	137 00		
Ottawa, First, S.S.	80 00		
		217 00	
Ottawa, Welcome Zion, Auxiliary		10 00	
Ottawa, Miscellaneous		10 00	
			570 50

PARIS BRANCH.

Brantford Auxiliary	$173 48		
Brantford Mission Band	5 00		
		178 48	
Burford Ladies' Aid		5 00	
Elcho Auxiliary		31 00	
Hamilton, First, Auxiliary	159 55		
Hamilton, First, Mission Band	25 00		
		184 55	
Paris Auxiliary	35 00		
Paris Sunday School	24 00		
Paris Y. P. Society	12 00		
		71 00	
New Durham Auxiliary		57 00	
Scotland Auxiliary	30 00		
Scotland Mission Band	5 00		
		35 00	
			562 03

TORONTO BRANCH.

Broadview Auxiliary		45 00	
Bond St. Auxiliary	$52 11		
Bond St. Sunday School	60 00		
		112 11	
Cobourg Auxiliary	58 00		
Cobourg Mission Band	13 00		
		71 00	
Coldsprings Auxiliary		40 00	
Dalston Auxiliary		10 00	
Edgar Mission Band		5 00	
Northern Auxiliary	520 50		
Northern Associate Members	9 25		
Northern Mission Band	15 00		
		544 75	
Olivet Auxiliary	656 21		
Olivet Associate Members	2 66		
		658 87	
Pine Grove Auxiliary		15 00	
Rugby Auxiliary		111 66	
Stouffville Associate Members		5 00	
Western Auxiliary		82 00	
Toronto Miscellaneous Branch		31 89	
			1,732 28
Ontario Miscellaneous—			
Superintendent of Freight		17 00	
Windsor		8 00	
Sarah L., for Salaries		25 00	
			50 00

QUEBEC PROVINCIAL BRANCH.

Ayer's Cliff Auxiliary		10 00	
Boynton Auxiliary		48 00	
Brigham Auxiliary		30 00	
Cowansville Auxiliary		49 00	
Danville Auxiliary	$26 35		
Danville Mission Bands	47 65		
		74 00	
Fitch Bay Auxiliary		10 00	
Granby Auxiliary		100 00	
Melbourne Auxiliary	27 00		
Melbourne Mission Band	3 25		
		30 25	
Rock Island Auxiliary		10 00	
St. Andrew's, East, Auxiliary		58 00	
Sherbrooke Auxiliary		68 98	
Montreal, Amherst Park, Auxiliary		10 00	
Montreal, Calvary, Auxiliary		165 00	
Montreal, Emmanuel, Auxiliary	243 47		
Montreal, Emmanuel, Sunday School	30 00		
		273 47	
Montreal, Opportunity M. C.		60 25	
Montreal, Point St. Charles Auxiliary	50 00		
Montreal, Point St. Charles M. C.	5 00		
		55 00	

Montreal, Zion, Auxiliary		100 50	
Miscellaneous		10 00	
			1,162 45

THE WEST.

Brandon Auxiliary		20 00	
Winnipeg, Crescent St. Auxiliary	$10 00		
Winnipeg, Crescent St. S. S.	50 00		
		60 00	
Winnipeg, Central Auxiliary		60 00	
Winnipeg, Miscellaneous		20 00	
Langford		10 00	
Vancouver, First, Auxiliary		10 00	
Victoria Auxiliary		12 90	
			192 90

THE MARITIME BRANCH.

Beach Meadows Auxiliary		24 00	
Brooklyn Auxiliary		62 00	
Economy Auxiliary		22 75	
Keswick Auxiliary		79 00	
Kingsport Auxiliary		27 85	
Liverpool Auxiliary		25 61	
Margaree Auxiliary		12 00	
Milton Auxiliary		53 56	
Pleasant River Auxiliary		16 00	
Sheffield Auxiliary		106 00	
St. John Auxiliary		31 31	
Yarmouth Auxiliary		65 00	
Miscellaneous		7 09	
			532 17
Interest from Bank		74 80	74 80
		$5,632 13	$5,632 13

SUMMARY.

Guelph Branch	$322 45
London Branch	432 55
Ottawa Branch	570 50
Paris Branch	562 03
Toronto Branch	1,732 28
Ontario Miscellaneous	50 00
Quebec Provincial Branch	1,162 45
The West	192 90
Maritime Branch	532 17
General Miscellaneous	74 80
	$5,632 13

The Annual Affiliation Fee for Mission Bands is $5; for Auxiliaries, $10; Life Membership Fee, $25; Annual Membership Fee for one residing where there is no Auxiliary, $1.

New Life Members for 1915-16.—Cowansville, Mrs. W. G. Brown; Emmanuel, Mrs. A. W. Cochrane, Mrs. W. H. Black; Guelph, Mrs. Bailey; Hamilton, 1st., Miss Emma Bale; London, Southern, Miss Julia E. Claris; Maxville and St. Elmo, Mrs. Thomas Munroe, Mawer, Sask.; Northern, Mrs. T. B. Speight, Miss Marion O'Hara; Rugby, Miss A. J. Harvie; St. Andrew's E., Miss Mary L. Lamb.

In Memoriam:—Ottawa, 1st, Mrs. Cowan; Olivet, Mrs. C. H. Smith, Master Erle Wightman; Bond St., Mrs. (Rev.) Allworth; Maxville and St. Elmo, Mrs. D. Macallum, Mrs. John Sinclair; Rugby, Mrs. Margaret Roberts Johnson; Sherbrooke, Miss Grace Nourse.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Printing—		
Annual Reports	$ 96 00	
Year Book	18 00	
Stationery	16 80	
Bank Charges, Postage, etc.	56 83	
Expense Account—		
Annual Meeting	10 20	
Secretary	100 00	
Miss Bell, Deputation Work	25 00	
Literature Committee	1 50	
		$ 324 33

PLEDGED WORK—FOREIGN MISSIONS.

W. C. Africa—		
Salaries of Misses Melville	$1,150 00	
Allowance of Miss Bell $226 33		
Less prepaid 169 99		
	56 34	
Allowance, Miss Bell	175 00	
House Fund	25 00	
Annuity Premiums	182 62	
Girls' Compound (upkeep)	50 00	
Girls' Boarding School (upkeep)	100 00	
Miss Bell's Travelling Expenses to America	396 75	
		2,135 71
Ceylon—		
Bible Instruction in Schools		100 00
Smyrna—		
The J. E. Dougall Scholarship		75 00

PLEDGED WORK—HOME MISSIONS.

Canada Congregational Missionary Society	1,000 00	
Rev. Mr. Anhorn's Work in Calgary	300 00	
		1,300 00

SPECIAL DONATIONS.

W. C. Africa—		
Miss Bell (personal)	30 00	
Six Native Preachers	145 00	
Two Native Workers	45 00	
Five Native Teachers	125 00	

Out-station Teachers from Mission Bands	43 25	
Education of Boys and Girls	50 00	
School Supplies	7 40	
		415 65
Building Purposes	400 00	400 00
To C.C.F.M.S.—		
Allan and David Gunn Memorial Boys' Boarding Schools	108 50	
W. C. Africa	20 00	
Dondi Institute	7 00	
Native Preacher, Kumba	36 00	
		171 50
Armenian Orphan and Relief	72 25	
Arab Orphan	38 00	
Smyrna—Miss Macallum	5 00	
		115 25
China—		
Mrs. Falls' Native Worker	40 00	
Mrs. Falls, personal	1 00	
Native Preacher	35 00	
		76 00
India—		
Support of Nine Orphans	200 00	
Ludhiana M. H. & M. S.	18 00	
Ludhiana Scholarship	50 00	
Madura, Native Teacher	30 00	
Mission to Lepers	55 00	
		353 00
HOME MISSIONS—SPECIAL.		
To C.C.M.S. from Maritime Branch	197 41	
Christmas Gifts to North West	58 89	
Labrador Mission	23 46	
		279 76
LOCAL.		
Frances Willard Home	10 00	10 00
	$5,786 20	$5,786 20

SUMMARY.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance from 1915	$2,406 37	
Contributions from all sources	5,632 13	
		$8,038 50
DISBURSEMENTS.		
As per itemized list	$5,786 20	$5,786 20
Balance on hand made up as follows:—		
Main Wing in Chisamba Hospital	382 34	
Education of Missionary's Daughter	5 10	
Fire Fund	496 03	
New Senior School	58 75	
Freight	29 80	

Macallum Memorial Fund	1,199 90	
Microscope	60 00	
General Fund	20 38	
Balance on hand		$2,252 30
		$8,038 50

Balance on hand as above, $2,252.30.

EMILY THOMPSON,
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct.
W. B. UNSWORTH.

Toronto, May 22, 1916.

SPECIALS.

Contributed to Relief Funds (incomplete)—		
Red Cross	$961 30	
Belgian Relief	50 90	
Armenian Relief	42 00	
Serbian Relief	37 85	
Queen Mary's Guild	5 00	
		$1,097 85

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF LITERATURE COMMITTEE.

June 2, 1915, to May 16, 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Donations	$ 38 00
Sale of Home Missionary Catechism	25 33
Sale of Maps	14 50
Sale of Pamphlet: "A Little Girl's Great Service"	16 08
	$93 91

EXPENDITURE.

Printing	43 25
Wrapping Paper	25
Freight on Two Maps of Canada to Dondi and Chisamba	1 60
Postage—For Maps, Literature and Correspondence	9 85
	$54 95
Balance on hand	38 96
	$93 91

CECILIA M. S. CALE,
Convener Literature Committee.

312 Wellesley St., Toronto.

CAPT. (Rev.) T. BRADLEY HYDE.

PROVIDENT FUND SOCIETY.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD, 1915-1916.

Honorary Life President—Charles R. Black.

Chairman—Charles Gurd.

Vice-Chairman—A. McA. Murphy.

Secretary—W. H. Black, Bell Telephone Co., Montreal.

Treasurer—Thomas Moodie, 30 St. John St., Montreal.

Board of Directors—Messrs. Charles Gurd, W. A. Wood, T. B. Macaulay, W. W. O'Hara, A. McA. Murphy, W. H. Black, Arthur Birks, Thomas Moodie, Henry O'Hara, Toronto, B. W. Robertson, Kingston.

W. & O. Branch, 20 Beneficiaries.

Revs. W. T. Gunn, M.A., B.D., A. Margrett, W. H. Warriner, M.A., D.D., G. Ellery Read, R. G. Watt, B.D., M. Kelly, J. T. Daley, B.A., Hugh Pedley, B.A., D.D., J. G. Hindley, M.A., B.D., H. J. Kilbourn, Edwin Hobbs, B.D., J. K. Unsworth, B.A., A. F. Pollock, B.D., T. A. Munroe, B.A., H. I. Horsey, J. W. Newberry, Walter Cannon, E. Albert Cook, Ph.D., J. L. Alexander, B.D., W. E. Gilroy, B.A., B.D.

R. M. Branch, 13 Beneficiaries.

Revs. W. H. Warriner, M.A., D.D., A. Margrett, J. T. Daley, B.A., Hugh Pedley, B.A., D.D., C. C. Claris, G. Ellery Read, H. J. Kilbourn, J. K. Unsworth, B.A., J. W. Newbery, Walter Cannon, J. Lambert Alexander, M. Kelly, W. E. Gilroy.

R. M. Branch, 6 Annuitants.

Mrs. Jane Peacock, Mrs. M. E. Sanderson, Mrs. M. McKillican, Mrs. Hannah Sykes, Mrs. M. B. Bolton, Mrs. Margaret McIntosh.

R. M. Branch, 2 Annuitants.

Revs. W. W. Smith, D. Macallum.

BY-LAWS OF THE CONGREGATIONAL PROVIDENT FUND SOCIETY.

General By-laws.

I.—MEMBERSHIP.

1. *As Beneficiary Members.*—Ministers duly received by the Society through either of the branches hereinafter mentioned, and retaining their membership in connection with either fund in accordance with its by-laws.

2. *As Life Members.*—Any person not being Beneficiary Members, who shall have paid to the fund Twenty Dollars at one time.

3. *As Annual Members.*—Churches collecting for the fund, to be represented at the annual meeting, or at any special meeting held in the year following the payment of their collection, by one delegate, who shall not be a Beneficiary Member.

II.—ADMISSION OF BENEFICIARY MEMBERS.

1. Any Congregational Minister in Canada who is in good standing in the denomination and the Pastor of a Congregational Church or a Missionary of the Canada Congregational Foreign Missionary Society, or a Professor in the Congregational College of Canada, may be admitted as a Beneficiary Member of either branch of the fund by a majority of four-fifths of the Directors present, at any meeting of the Board.

2. Before confirming the admission of any applicauts, the Board of Directors may, if they think it necessary, make enquiries concerning their general health; and if the result of their enquiries proves unsatisfactory, the Directors may, either decline to confirm the reception, or require such additional remuneration as, in their opinion, would be sufficient to cover the extra risk.

III.—TERMINATION OF BENEFICIARY MEMBERSHIP.

1. Any Beneficiary Member, not an annuitant, ceasing to reside in Canada, shall thereby lose beneficiary claim on either fund, but the amount of his annual subscription to the Widows' and Orphans' fund shall be placed to the credit of his family, under the condition of article No. XII., then to accumulate with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum until his death, when it shall be paid to such person or persons as may be lawfully entitled to receive it. Beneficiary members of the Retiring Ministers' Branch, ceasing to reside in Canada shall cease to have beneficiary claim, but may, in spcial cases, receive relief from the fund to the amount of their subscriptions to the fund.

2. Any Beneficiary Member, leaving the Ministry or the denomination shall thereby forfeit all claim upon the fund, unless he has been a member for ten years; but after having paid in ten years' annual subscriptions he shall have the privilege of withdrawing from the Society, and receiving as surrender value of his claim on its fund, an amount based upon the reasons of his withdrawal, as follows: If he leaves the country, but not the ministry of the denomination, he shall be paid three-fourths of the total amount of his annual subscriptions; if he enters the ministry of another denomination, he shall receive one-half of the total subscriptions paid; if he leaves the ministry, he shall be entitled to two-fifths of the total subscriptions paid. But no member shall be entitled to receive anything from the Society if he was not in good standing in the Congregational Union of Canada at the time of his withdrawal from the denomination or ministry.

3. Any Beneficiary Member who may have been connected with the Society, as such for a period of not less than five years, and who has paid all his annual premiums may, if he so desires, withdraw his membership from the Society, and claim a refund of two-fifths of the amount of the premiums paid in by him, if wife is still living.

IV.—RE-ADMISSION OF BENEFICIARY MEMBERS.

1. Any member returning to Canada (if permitted to resume his connection with the Widows' and Orphans' Branch) shall pay all arrears and an additional rate of 20 cents per annum for each year of his absence, and the amount accumulated to the credit of his family shall relapse to the fund.

2. Any member resuming his connection with the Retiring Ministers' Branch shall do so on conditions to be arranged by the Directors.

V.—MEETINGS.

1. An annual meeting of the Society shall be held at the same time and place as that of the Congregational Union of Canada, at which a report from the Directors, and the Treasurer's accounts shall be presented, Directors elected for the ensuing year and any other general business of the Society transacted.

2. Special meetings of the Society may be held at its pleasure, expressed at any meeting thereof, or at the call of the Directors.

3. Beneficiary Members, in connection with either branch of the Fund, shall be entitled to attend and vote at all meetings of the Society.

4. In case of a division, a majority of two-thirds shall be necessary to constitute a vote.

VI.—MANAGEMENT.

1. The funds of the Society shall be held and managed by a Board of ten Directors (five to form a quorum), eight residing in or near the City of Montreal, to be elected annually by the Society.

2. The Directors, when elected, shall, from their own numbers, choose a Chairman, Deputy-Chairman, Treasurer, and Secretary, and may make such standing rules for their own guidance (not being inconsistent with the Act of Incorporation and its amendments or by-laws), as they may deem needful, subject to the approval of the Society at the next annual meeting.

3. They shall also have power to fill vacancies in their own number, shall be eligible for re-election, and shall hold office until their successors are appointed and assume their duties.

VII.—INCOME AND INVESTMENTS.

1. The funds of the Society shall be derived from Annual Church Collections, Subscriptions, Donations and Legacies, the rates paid by Beneficiary Members, and the proceeds of investments.

2. The amount received for Church Collections, or otherwise contributed for the general purposes of the Society, shall be divided between the Branches at the discretion of the Board; but money contributed from any source, and especially designated for either Branch, shall be so applied.

3. The Funds shall be invested only in undoubted securities to be held on the Society's behalf by the Chairman or Deputy-Chairman, and the Treasurer in the name of the Incorporated Society.

4. Any investments or transfers from one investment to another shall be made only by vote of the Board.

5. The Treasurer shall give such security to the Board for the funds in his possession as they may from time to time require.

VIII.—DISPUTED CASES.

In the case of any dispute arising between Beneficiary Members on Annuitants, and the Directors of the Society, each party shall choose an arbitrator, and these, if necessary, an umpire, whose decisions shall be final.

IX.—REVISAL OF RATES AND ANNUITIES.

The amount of the rates of premium and annuities shall be reconsidered at each fifth annual meeting, reckoning from that held in 1863, and should any re-adjustment be needed such re-adjustment shall not be deemed to be a violation of good faith by any parties whatsoever.

X.—ALTERATION OF BY-LAWS.

The By-laws of the Society may be enacted, amended or repealed at any annual meeting, provided that notice to such effect has been given at the previous annual meeting. But this shall not apply to the case provided for in By-law IX.

Widows' and Orphans' Branch.

XI.—BENEFICIARY SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The following shall be the scale of rates, payable annually, by Beneficiary Members of the Widows' and Orphans' Branch:—

1. By those received under thirty years of age, and by Alumni of the Congregational College of Canada, subscribing within twelve months from the date of their ordination, Ten Dollars.

2. By those received over thirty and under forty years of age, Twelve Dollars.

3. By those received over forty and under fifty years of age, Fourteen Dollars.

4. By those received over fifty and under sixty years of age, Sixteen Dollars.

5. By those received over sixty years of age, such a special rate as may be agreed to by the Society.

6. All subscriptions to be payable semi-annually on the 1st of January and July, and if not paid within three months, to be subject to a fine of $1. If not paid within twelve months, due notice having been given by the trustees, the minister so in arrears shall be held to have withdrawn from connection with the fund.

7. Any Beneficiary Member who shall have paid thirty annual premiums, according to the above assessment, shall be exempt from further subscriptions, and shall maintain his status as a Benficiary as before.

XII.—ANNUITIES.

There shall be paid from the funds of the Society to the families of the Beneficiary Members the following annuities:—

1. To the Widows for life, or until re-marriage, Two Hundred Dollars per annum.

2. To their Widows for each Son under the age of sixteen years, Thirty-five Dollars, but Seventy Dollars for the youngest child.

3. To Guardians on behalf of Orphans, Seventy Dollars for the youngest and Forty-five Dollars for each other child, and two-thirds of what would have been payable to the Mother had she not deceased, until they attain the ages mentioned in the preceding section, provided, nevertheless, that the Directors shall have power to delay such payments to Guardians until they are satisfied that they will be properly applied.

4. It shall be competent for the Society, on recommendation of the Directors, to continue an annuity to an Orphan by special annual grant beyond the period named in Article 2, should there be special reasons for so doing.

Retiring Ministers' Branch.

XIII.—BENEFICIARY SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The following shall be the scale of rates, payable annually, by Beneficiary Members of the Retiring Ministers' Branch:—

1. By those received under thirty years of age, and by Alumni of the Congregational College of Canada, subscribing within 12 months from the date of their ordination, Four Dollars per annum.

2. Those received over 30 and under 35 years of age, Five Dollars per annum.

3. Those received over 35 and under 40 years of age, Six Dollars per annum.

4. Those received over 40 and under 45 years of age, Seven Dollars per annum.

5. Those received over 45 and under 50 years of age, Eight Dollars per annum.

6. Ministers over 50 years of age shall be received only on such terms as the Directors may agree to.

7. Ministers who may pay at once, or for whom may be paid by their Churches or by others, a sum equal to the amount of fifteen years' purchase, according to the age rate indicated above, may become Beneficiary Life Members.

XIV.—ANNUITIES.

1. Beneficiary Members of this Branch having attained the age of 65 years, and having been compelled to resign the active duties of the ministry, shall be entitled to an annuity of $200 for life, payable quarterly, from the Retiring Ministers' Fund; but should there be any good or sufficient reason why it should not be paid—of which reason the Society shall be the sole and sufficient judge—it shall not be paid, anything in these by-laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

2. It shall be competent for the Society, on recommendation of the Directors, to increase the annuity of any Beneficiary Member by a special or annual grant, not exceeding the sum of $100 per annum additional, and said grant may be made for life, by regular vote, after 12 months' notice given at any annual meeting of the Society.

3. Should the income of either the Retiring Ministers' or Charitable Fund not be sufficient for the payment of annuities for which it is liable, it shall be right and proper for the Society to make such reduction, *pro rata*, on all annuities as will cover the deficiency, anything in these by-laws to the contrary notwithstanding.—See By-law XVI., Clause 2.

XV.—CHARITABLE FUND.

1. The proportion of Charitable Subscriptions, Donations, Legacies, and Church Collections available shall be placed to the credit of an account to be called the Charitable Fund, until the sum of One Thousand Dollars is secured, the interest of which only shall be available for grants or annuities.

2. After $1,000 is secured, one half of said Subscriptions, Collections, etc., shall be reserved to constitute an Endowment Fund, until the sum of $5,000 has been secured.

3. The other half with the proportion of interest due to this account, shall be available for grants or annuities; but should the income in any year exceed the disbursements of that year, the surplus, after allowing a small balance for contingencies, shall be added to the Endowment.

XVI.—CHARITABLE ANNUITIES.

1. The Society may, from the Charitable Fund, make special or annual grants to any aged or infirm Congregational Minister, laboring in Canada, though not a Beneficiary Member.

2. Should the Retiring Ministers' Fund not be sufficient for the claims of annuitants, it shall be proper to supplement that Fund from the Charitable Fund.

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CONGREGATIONAL PROVIDENT FUND SOCIETY.

The Provident Fund Society held its Annual Meeting in connection with the Union Meetings at Sherbrooke, at 5 p.m. on the 8th of June, 1916.

Mr. Charles Gurd occupied the chair, and Mr. W. H. Black acted as Secretary.

After prayer by the Rev. Mr. Hindley, the minutes of the last Annual Meeting were taken as read, and confirmed.

The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer having been read, they were on motion received and adopted.

It was unanimously decided to re-elect the old Board, and to re-elect Mr. John Anderson as Auditor.

Mr. George W. Williams suggested that additional members of the Board from the West might result in increased interest in the work of the Society, and the Chairman stated that the matter would be taken into consideration by the Board at its next meeting.

The Board, as re-elected, is as follows:

Mr. Charles Gurd, Mr. W. A. Wood, Mr. T. B. Macaulay, Mr. W. W. O'Hara, Mr. A. McA. Murphy, Mr. W. H. Black, Mr. Arthur Birks, Mr. Thomas Moodie, Mr. Henry O'Hara, Mr. B. W. Robertson.

Mr. Thomas Moodie was continued in office as a representative of the Society in the Additional Gifts Campaign.

The vote of thanks to the officers and directors was moved by the Rev. Mr. Kilbourn, and unanimously concurred in.

After prayer by the Rev. Dr. Warriner, the meeting adjourned.

Montreal, 8th June, 1916.

The Board of the Provident Fund Society begs to report on its stewardship during the last financial year.

Your Board has three dominant interests and impulses, which will remain with it as the guiding force of its administration:

First: The securing of larger membership among our ministers.

Second: The payment of larger sums as retiring allowances, and to the Widows and Orphans.

Third: The increasing of our income to enable us to carry out the second object.

In reporting at this Union your Board feels itself in the position of a Trustee as well as of a Manager. We have before us the representatives of

the churches from which we expect our subscriptions, and also the gentlemen on whose behalf the funds are dispensed.

Your Secretary has been able; during the past year, to make himself acquainted with the operation of similar funds in Canada and the United States, and in Congregational and other denominations.

The Congregational Church in the United States has set before it the raising of a fund of $2,000,000, which they desire shall rest upon three fundamental principles:

First: That the minister for whom an annuity is to be provided should himself help to provide it by regular payments during the productive period of his life.

Second—That the Church should be taught to regard its fair share of the necessary cost of properly providing for the old age of Congregational ministers as a part of its ordinary expenses.

Third: That their men of ample means should be made acquainted with this fund as affording one of the safest, sanest and best investments for the Kingdom of God.

The Presbyterian Churches in Canada are coming close to half a million dollars in their Aged and Infirm Ministers' Endowment Fund, and have put themselves on record as to the necessity of bringing into greater dignity and prominence the beneficiary funds of their churches, and securing an endowment of $2,000,000 in aid of a Ministerial Relief and Sustentation Fund.

Over the whole of the continent of America, throughout all the Protestant denominations, effort is lending itself in a most promising way to help the aged minister, and his widow and children.

The Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States is working on a large scheme, and in connection with their appeal they venture the analogy that while all the time we are asking for more money to send more men to the front, we are forgetting or neglecting those who had been at the front, and who are now on the Honor Roll of the Invalid Corps.

The Church of the Disciples of Christ has set aside the Sunday before Christmas as the regular day for the presentation of its work in the relief of aged or infirm ministers, and the Sunday Schools have devoted their gifts at that time to ministerial relief, following the teaching that those who have given self and service fully until disabled should be guests at the King's table.

The Reform Church in America is working upon a plan to double the annuity paid to their aged ministers last year.

The Methodist Episcopal Church, which has 3,100 retired preachers, with about the same number of widows and orphans, is engaged in the work of furnishing a $5,000,000 fund for their benefit. They are now giving $525 per annum to the retired ministers who have given 35 years' service to their church, and if their term of service is longer, the annuity is proportionately greater.

The Presbyterian Church, North, is planning, and moving rapidly to a goal of $10,000,000 for their two beneficiary funds. They have $3,000,000 already on hand.

The South Presbyterian Church, and the Baptist Church, North, are also moving in the same direction, but as yet without a specific object.

It may not be within the compass of our ability to set up an ambitious goal comparable to those mentioned, but let us yield to none of them in our desire to have a Provident Fund which shall permit of fair treatment to our ministers who, after a lifetime of service, are compelled to retire, and to the wives and orphans of such as may fall by the wayside. The ministerial calling does not offer many opportunities for becoming wealthy, or for making that provision for old age which the merchant and professional man enjoys.

We aim therefore to secure, as far as lies in our power, that his plate and pillow shall be secured for him; and again appeal in this way to all the churches of the denomination to put us in funds that we may do this in a dignified and complete manner.

We would also repeat the principle laid down by the Congregational body in the United States, that this Fund affords "One of the safest, sanest and best investments for the Kingdom of God," and respectfully suggest to men of means connected with our Canadian churches, that the Provident Fund should be remembered when planning the distribution of their estates.

By order of the Board,

W. H. BLACK,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer is able to present a fairly good report this year. True, there is a falling off of three in the number of churches contributing, and of $132.79 in the total collections.

The following is the statement of number of churches and amounts, with the apportionments for the associations:

Western Association Apportioned $165.00; 9 churches last year, $129.27; this year 8 churches, $135.37.

Central Association apportioned $225.00; 7 churches last year, $153.00; this year 5 churches, $116.96.

Eastern Association apportioned $105.00; 4 churches last year, $29.50; this year 7 churches, $77.59.

United Brethren Association apportioned $25.00; this year $10.00.

Quebec Association apportioned $352.00; 10 churches last year, $442.68; this year 10 churches, $315.95.

Maritime Association apportioned $50.00; 8 churches last year $27.33; this year 7 churches, $19.00.

North West Association apportioned $150.00; 2 churches last year $15.00.

Miscellaneous—last year, $22.85; this year, $11.97.

Totals—40 churches last year, $819.63; this year 37 churches, $686.84.

There is no change in the Annuitants this year in either Branch.

In the Widows' and Orphans' Branch we have carried $2,000.00 to capital account, leaving $354.03 at credit revenue account.

In the Retiring Ministers' Branch we have carried $1,500.00 to capital account, leaving $628.75 at credit of revenue account.

The investments are the same as last year, with one exception, the bonds of the Home Investment & Savings Association matured and were paid.

We are pleased to be able to say that the investments are all in good shape.

The financial statements, duly audited, are herewith presented.

The whole respectfully submitted.

THOS. MOODIE,
Treasurer.

W. & O. BRANCH, 21 BENEFICIARIES.

Revs. W. T. Gunn, D.D., A. Margrett, W. H. Warriner, D.D., G. Ellery Read, M. Kelly, J. T. Daley, B.A., G. W. Ball, Hugh Pedley, D.D., J. G. Hindley, M.A., B.D., H. J. Kilbourn, Edwin Hobbs, B.D., A. F. Pollock, B.D., T. A. Munroe, B.A., H. I. Horsey, J. W. Newbery, J. L. Alexander, B.D., W. E. Gilroy, B.A., B.D., Galen H. Craik, B.A., A. J. Orr, R. W. Carr, Percy B. Samson, B.A.

R. M. Branch, 20 Beneficiaries.

Revs. W. H. Warriner, D.D., A. Margrett, J. W. Newbery, A. F. Pollock, B.D., R. W. Carr, T. W. Davidson, J. T. Daley, B.A., Hugh Pedley, D.D., J. L. Alexander, B.D., G. H. Craik, B.A., G. W. Ball, H. I. Horsey, G. Ellery Read, H. J. Kilbourn, M. Kelly, W. E. Gilroy, B.A., B.D., A. J. Orr, John Lyall, Percy B. Samson, B.A., W. T. Gunn, B.A., D.D.

W. & O. Branch, 5 Annuitants.

Mrs. Jane Peacock, Mrs. M. E. Sanderson, Mrs. M. McKillican, Mrs. M. B. Bolton, Mrs. M. McIntosh.

R. M. Branch, 2 Annuitants.

Rev. D. Macallum, Rev. W. W. Smith.

CONGREGATIONAL PROVIDENT FUND SOCIETY.

OFFICERS OF THE BOARD, 1915-1916.

Honorary President—Mr. Charles R. Black.
Chairman—Mr. Charles Gurd.
Vice-Chairman—Mr. A. McA. Murphy.
Treasurer—Mr. Thomas Moodie.
Secretary—Mr. W. H. Black.

Treasurer's Statement for the Year Ending 31st May, 1916.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' BRANCH.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year		$567 22
Interest and Dividends	$2,784 87	
Less Unpaid	205 00	
		2,579 87
Collections		20 95
Beneficiaries		290 00
On acc. College Loans		143 10
Bonds Paid		500 00
		$4,101 14

EXPENDITURE.

Annuitants	$1,000 00
Expenses	116 45
College Loan	29 16
Balance	2,955 53
	$4,101 14

ASSETS.

Mortgages	$15,652 43
Danville, Urbana & C. R'way	925 00
St. Louis & Springfield	3,400 00
Mont. Loan & Mtge. Co. @ 150%	21,712 50
Real Estate Loan Co.	600 00
College Loan	674 46
Outstanding Interest	284 57
Cash in Bank	2,955 53
	$46,204 49
Assets, 1915	44,300 12
Increase	$1,904 37

RETIRING MINISTERS' BRANCH.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year		$182 50
Interest and Dividends	$1,206 50	
Less unpaid	120 00	
		1,086 50
Collections		665 89
Beneficiaries		141 00
Bonds paid		1,500 00
		$3,575 89

EXPENDITURE.

Annuitants	$400 00
Expenses	53 78
Balance	3,122 11
	$3,575 89

ASSETS.

Mortgages	$10,847 57
Danville, Urbana & C. Railway	925 00
Montreal Loan & Mortgage Co. @ 150%	5,100 00
Real Estate Loan Co.	501 40
Outstanding Interest	220 43
Cash in Bank	3,122 11
	$20,716 51
Assets, 1915	19,106 90
Increase	$1,609 61

THOS. MOODIE.
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct,
JOHN ANDERSON,
Auditor.

Montreal, June 1, 1916.

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM THE CHURCHES.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

Brantford	$24 25
Forest, Central	6 00
Guelph	10 00
Hamilton, 1st	78 27
London, 1st	2 85
Stratford	5 00
Tilbury	5 00
Watford	4 00
	$135 37

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

Cobourg	$25 00
Coldsprings	3 00
Toronto, Northern	45 00
Toronto, Western	18 96
Toronto, Olivet	25 00
	$116 96
United Brethren	$10 00
Union Communion	$8 97

EASTERN ASSOCIATION.

Kingston, 1st	$10 00
Kingston, Bethel	10 00
Kingston, Calvary	2 62
Lanark	19 80
Maxville	14 85
Ottawa, 1st	10 32
Ottawa, Welcome Zion	10 00
	$77 59

QUEBEC ASSOCIATION.

Cowansville	$6 00
Melbourne	6 00
Ulverton	6 00
Montreal, Calvary	32 44
Montreal, Zion	15 00
Montreal, Emmanuel	204 29
Montreal, Pt. St. Charles	8 00
Sherbrooke	21 62
Stanstead South	10 00
Waterville	6 60
	$315 95

MARITIME ASSOCIATION.

Brooklyn	$3 00
Beach Meadows	2 00
Chebogue	3 00
Kingsport	2 00
Liverpool	40
Yarmouth	6 00
St. John	2 60
	$19 00

NORTH WEST ASSOCIATION.

Personal	$1 00
Thank-offering	2 00

CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

QUEBEC.

OFFICERS.

Moderator—Rev. E. Munson Hill, D.D.
Scribe—Rev. H. A. Carson, 69 Rozel St., Pt. St. Charles.
Representatives on Executive of C.C.M.S.—Rev. F. H. Hallet, Rock Island (Honorary), and Rev. G. Ellery Read, Sherbrooke.
Advisory Committee—Rev. G. E. Read, and Rev. H. Pedley, D.D.

MEMBERS.

Revs. E. M. Hill, D.D., 366 Metcalfe Ave., Westmount; W. H. Warriner, D.D., 681 Shuter St., Montreal; Hugh Pedley, D.D., 779 University St., Montreal; Galen H. Craik, B.A., Melbourne; G. Ellery Read, Sherbrooke; Churchill Moore, Ayer's Cliff; A. F. Pollock, B.D., Granby; H. A. Carson, B.A., Pt. St. Charles; H. F. Hallett, Ashfield, Mass., U.S.A.; E. C. Woodley, M.A., B.D., Marash, Turkey; H. I. Horsey, B.A., 53 Forth Ave., Ottawa; H. J. Kilbourn, B.A., 437 Mance St., Montreal; T. W. Davidson, Calvary Church, Montreal.

ASSOCIATE CHURCHES.

Ayers' Cliff, Brigham, Cowansville, Danville, Eaton, Fitch Bay, Franklin Centre, Granby, Maxville, Melbourne, Montreal Emmanuel, Montreal Calvary, Montreal Zion, Montreal Bethlehem, Montreal Pt. St. Charles, Montreal Amherst Park, Montreal Union, Ottawa First, Ottawa Welcome Zion, Stanstead South, Sherbrooke, Ulverton, Waterville.

WESTERN DISTRICT ASSOCIATION.

OFFICERS.

President—Rev. Matthew Kelly, Fergus.
Secretary—Rev. M. T. Walker, Shedden, Ont., R.R. 3.
Treasurer—Rev. W. H. A. Claris, London, Ont.
Home Mission Representative—Rev. M. Kelly, Fergus.
Chairman of the Credentials Committee—Rev. W. E. Gilroy, Hamilton.
Registrar—Rev. D. A. Armstrong, Paris.

MEMBERS.

Revs. W. H. A. Claris, London, Ont.; John Morton, Hamilton, Ont.; R. G. Watt, B.D., Edmonton; D. S. Hamilton, B.A., Winnipeg, Man.; W. E. Gilroy, B.A., Hamilton; Edwin Hobbs, Scotland, Ont.; M. Kelly, Fergus; D. A. Armstrong, Paris, Ont.; H. D. Whitmore, Maxville; A. J. Orr, Scotland; T. Lyall, Kingston, Ont.; T. De C. Rayner, Hamilton; R. Stevenson, Watford; M. T. Walker, Shedden.

ASSOCIATE CHURCHES.

Brantford, Burford, Embro, Fergus, Forest (Central), Frome, Garafraxa, Guelph, Hamilton First, Hamilton Emmanuel, London First, London Southern, New Durham, Paris, Scotland, Speedside, Stratford, Tilbury, Woodstock, Watford, Warwick Zion, Warwick Ebenezer (Forest P.C.), North Plympton (Forest P.O.), Lake Shore (Forest P.O.)

TORONTO DISTRICT ASSOCIATION.

OFFICERS.

President—Rev. Wm. Hipkin.
Secretary and Registrar and Treasurer—Rev. Albert Margrett.
Home Missionary Representative—Rev. A. Margrett.
Advisory Board—Rev. J. W. Pedley, B.A., Mr. Henry O'Hara.

MINISTERS.

Revs. E. Barker, W. Hipkin, A. Margrett, B. H. Stauffer, T. B. Hyde, Frank J. Day, D.D., J. W. Pedley, B.A., E. D. Silcox, W. T. Gunn, M.A., D.D., A. B. Sherk, J. G. Hindley.

CHURCHES.

Barrie, Churchill, Cobourg, Coldsprings, Dalston, Edgar, Humber Summit, Pine Grove, Rugby.

TORONTO.

Toronto Bond St., Toronto Northern, Toronto Western, Toronto Olivet, Toronto Broadview.

UNITED BRETHREN ASSOCIATION.

President—Rev. J. W. Newbery, Elcho, Ont.
Secretary—Rev. L. E. West, Forks Road, Ont.

NORTH WEST ASSOCIATION.

Chairman—(Vacant).
Secretary—Rev. E. A. Cooke, Kitsalano, Vancouver.

STATISTICS FOR YEAR

CHURCHES IN ONTARIO, TORONTO AND

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member					
									Removals					Re
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Barrie	Wm. Hipkin	1886	1907	Nottingham, Eng.	98	....	....	1	3	....	....	12	41
2	Churchill	C. Paterson	....	1915	Supply	80	....	....	....	....	....	....	16	20
3	Cobourg	J. T. Daley, B.A.	1891	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	300	....	7	....	....	....	....	33	76
4	Cold Springs	J. T. Daley, B.A.	1891	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	150	....	....	2	....	....	....	43	52
5	Dalston	R. Wilson Carr	1911	1915	C.C.C. and McGill	45	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	12
6	Edgar	R. Wilson Carr	1911	1915	C.C.C. and McGill	125	....	....	....	....	....	....	21	32
7	Rugby	R. Wilson Carr	1911	1915	C.C.C. and McGill	100	....	....	1	....	....	....	22	25
8	Humber Summit	S. McNeilly	....	1914	Toronto Bible Sch.	100	....	....	2	1	....	....	6	20
9	Pine Grove	S. McNeilly	....	1914	Toronto Bible Sch.	100	9	....	....	2	....	....	12	18
	Toronto:													
10	Bond Street	Byron H. Stauffer	1895	1907	AlbertCol.Belleville	2000	100	40	5	15	....	....	....	....
11	Broadview	J. G. Hindley, M.A., B.D	1907	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	600	20	8	2	4	....	10	95	127
12	Northern	F. J. Day, M.A., D.D.	1896	1912	C.C.C. and McGill	600	15	83	3	6	....	1	....	....
13	Olivet	Albert Margrett	1891	1907	Private	400	5	4	3	4	....	24	....	....
14	Western	R. Bertram Nelles	1915	1916	Knox U'y. T. & U.S.	500	2	....	....	4	....	....	....	....
15	Zion (Closed)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
					Totals	5198	151	142	19	39	....	35	267	423
					Last Year Totals	4880	121	120	22	77	....	67	321	529

ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1915

CENTRAL DISTRICT ASSOCIATION—TABLE No. 1

ship maining					Rela- tive		Sunday School					Y. P. Societies					Bap- tism			Secretary	
Total	Males Non-Resident	Females Non-Resid't	Total	Total Present Membership	Increase	Decrease	Teachers and Officers	Scholars on Roll	Average Attendance	Joined Church	Money Raised	Active Members	Associate Members	Total	Joined Church	Money Raised	Adults	Infants	Total		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
53	4	4	8	61	....	3	8	45	25	...	49 91	....	....	....	....	.....	...	3	3	Claude Faux, Barrie P.O	1
36	...	...	...	36	....	1	3	30	35	...	16 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	H. Gibbons, RR No. 2, Acton	2
109	...	...	...	109	7	....	10	90	65	...	152 10	....	....	....	....	.....	...	11	11	A. W. Hayden, Cobourg	3
95	...	...	...	95	....	3	4	25	15	...	90 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	6	6	J. H. Davidson, Camborne P.O.	4
19	...	...	...	19	....	1	2	20	15	...	10 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	J. M. Baldwin, R.M.D. 1 Barrie, Ont.	5
53	5	16	21	74	46	...	7	38	35	...	33 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	1	1	W. Thomson, Edgar P.O	6
47	2	3	5	52	....	....	7	50	28	...	11 40	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	C. S. Harvie, Box 578 Orillia	7
26	...	...	...	26	6	....	9	68	57	...	100 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	J. W. Wallis, Box 42 Woodbridge P.O.	8
30	2	4	6	36	5	....	9	79	47	7	176 66	23	17	40	8	16 00	...	5	5	J. E. Warren, Woodbridge P.O.	9
1030	...	...	...	1030	117	....	28	315	167	30	868 00	....	....	....	....	.....	9	45	54	W. F. Mack, 96 Simpson Ave.	10
229	15	18	33	262	19	....	20	200	175	11	338 88	20	5	25	11	91 70	1	14	15	J. V. Woodcroft, Langley Ave.	11
275	...	...	20	295	88	....	25	222	136	6	547 13	....	....	....	....	.....	3	12	15	E. J. Joselin, 45 Charles St. East	12
178	...	...	...	178	....	18	20	167	140	3	484 28	35	15	50	2	143 92	1	10	11	D. L. Graham, 87 Hazelton Ave.	13
207	...	...	...	207	....	2	51	140	93	3	310 36	....	....	....	....	.....	...	12	12	G. Roper, 106 Grace St	14
.....	...	...	...	.....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	.....	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	.....	15
2387	28	45	93	2480	288	28	167	1498	1033	60	3187 52	78	37	115	21	251 62	14	119	133		
2139	19	25	91	2230	232	149	179	1487	1033	92	3015 61	205	68	273	25	533 00	9	71	80		

CHURCHES IN ONTARIO, TORONTO AND

	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Barrie	1882	1	Brick	200	Yes	Yes				1200		1200	
2	Churchill	1838	1	Frame	150	Yes	Yes				500		500	
3	Cobourg	1835	1	Brick	350	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	6500	2500	9000	
4	Cold Springs	1835	1	Brick	150	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	2500	1200	3700	
5	Dalston	1884	1	Brick	200	Yes	No				2000		2000	
6	Edgar	1841	1	Brick	250	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	2000	2000	4000	
7	Rugby	1864	1	Frame	200	Yes	Yes				1000		1000	
8	Humber Summit	1855	1	Frame	200	Yes	Yes				560		560	
9	Pine Grove	1841	1	Brick	200	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	2000	800	2800	
	Toronto:													
10	Bond Street	1848	1	Stone	1520	Yes	Yes				125000		125000	20000
11	Broadview	1879	1	Brick	500	Yes	Yes				20000		20000	700
12	Northern	1868	1	Stone	200	Yes	Yes				100000		100000	24000
13	Olivet	1876	1	Brick	500	Yes	Yes				40000		40000	
14	Western	1875	1	Brick	800	Yes	Yes				75000		75000	1800
15	Zion (Closed)			Building.	Land not sold.						85000		85000	
								Totals			463260	6500	469760	46500
							Last Year's		Totals.		417600	7000	424600	19584

CENTRAL DISTRICT ASSOCIATION—TABLE NO. 2.

CHURCH FINANCES

Local Church Purposes	Union	Prov. Fund	College	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Women's Board Missions	Other Denominational Purposes	General Benevolent Purposes	Total Raised	Increase	Decrease	Amount Missionary Grant	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
562 69	.....	.....	.....	17 00	.....	.....	.....	12 00	591 69	.....	60 80	250 00	1
260 00	.....	.....	.....	16 00	9 00	.....	.....	50 00	330 00	10 00	.....	50 00	2
1770 74	30 00	25 00	26 15	87 00	87 00	99 68	.....	.....	2125 57	.....	193 98	.....	3
551 81	10 00	4 00	10 00	32 92	.....	46 47	.....	56 10	701 30	.....	37 88	.....	4
169 43	.....	.....	2 00	7 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	183 50	40 52	.....	.....	5
416 30	.....	.....	10 00	10 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	442 30	0 20	.....	.....	6
523 13	2 09	.....	12 00	39 00	43 00	127 00	.....	.....	749 03	81 45	.....	.....	7
332 00	.....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	352 00	.....	9 50	.....	8
176 04	.....	0 25	.....	2 00	9 75	16 80	.....	.....	204 84	.....	36 47	.....	9
10500 00	25 00	.....	75 00	537 00	267 00	120 00	600 00	1000 00	15000 00	2039 52	.....	.....	10
3261 89	10 00	10 00	37 00	119 99	94 21	61 14	42 00	234 38	4070 61	800 61	.....	.....	11
10091 91	61 76	45 00	100 00	1055 00	375 95	602 80	.....	1450 66	13733 08	1565 14	.....	.....	12
3630 35	50 00	25 00	30 00	205 00	100 00	613 50	.....	654 32	6294 67	374 92	.....	.....	13
4259 72	28 20	18 96	28 44	139 80	101 16	120 50	82 00	453 35	5232 07	.....	917 72	.....	14
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15
36571 01	216 96	128 21	330 59	2227 71	1109 07	1807 89	724 00	3910 81	50075 66	4912 36	1256 35	300 00	
38095 65	225 70	107 40	255 35	2569 80	1615 00	1507 02	881 48	1544 64	46520 65	3157 55	2415 46	328 85	

CHURCHES IN ONTARIO, WESTERN

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Removals				Member	Re
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Belwood	Closed at present.										N	o R	etu
2	Brantford	Vacant				418	15	6	5	4			91	125
3	Burford	Frank Sanders	1913	1915	Private & C.C.C.	110		7	2					
4	New Durham	Frank Sanders	1913	1915	Private & C.C.C.	165							23	26
5	Embro	E. G. Warren	1915	1915	C.C.C.	300	1		7	3		10	4 0	60
6	Fergus	Closed										N	o R	etu
7	Forest Central	Vacant				130			1	4			18	34
8	" Plympton	Vacant				111			1					
9	" Lake Shore	Vacant				80							8	10
10	" Ebenezer	Vacant				20	W	ors	hi	p	at	F	ore	st.
11	Frome	M. T. Walker	1902	1914	Albert College	150			2				15	26
12	" Laurence	M. T. Walker	1902	1914	Albert College	100			2				8	7
13	Garafraxa	M. Kelly			C.C.C. & McGill	143							20	32
14	Guelph	W. D. Spence	1907	1912	C.C.C.&Lon.,Eng.	320	6		5	9		1		
15	Hamilton, First.	W. E. Gilroy, B.A.	1900	1911	Victoria and Tor	750	45	10	2	10		30	122	184
16	" Immanuel	T. De Courcy Rayner	1911	1907	Private	200	15	3	2			6	21	47
17	Kincardine	Pres. Supply										N	o R	etu
18	London, First	J. B. Silcox, D.D.	1876	1915	C.C.C. and McGill.	400	3	6		3		2	33	65
19	" Southern	W. H. A. Claris	1872	1893	C.C.C. and McGill.	325	3						39	41
20	Paris	D. A. Armstrong	1907	1914	Belfast, Ireland	200	4		4			15	34	69
21	Scotland	A. G. Orr	1913	1915	C.C.C. and McGill.	250		2	2	9		11	37	65
22	Speedside	M. Kelly	1896	1916	C.C.C. and McGill.	152							24	31
23	Stratford	G. E. Morley, B.A.	1914	1914	Victoria & Toronto	315	30	8	5	6			30	70
24	Tilbury	G. Atkinson	1908	1910	Knox Col., Toronto	75	2		4				14	12
25	Woodstock	Supply.				81			2					
26	Watford	Robert Stevenson	1909	1911	Glasgow, Scot	200							23	40
27	Warwick	Robert Stevenson	1909	1911	Glasgow, Scot.	125			2	1			13	24
					Totals	5120	124	42	44	53		75	613	968
					Last Year.	5546	95	40	29	42	1	80	629	978

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ship maining					Rela-tive		Sunday School					Y. P. Societies					Bap-tism			Secretary	
Total	Males Non-Resident	Females Non-Resid't	Total	Total Present Membership	Increase	Decrease	Teachers and Officers	Scholars on Roll	Average Attendance	Joined Church	Money Raised	Active Members	Associate Members	Total	Joined Church	Money Raised	Adults	Infants	Total		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	2 8	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
rns.																					1
216	12	12	24	240	2	....	21	178	118	2	225 22	30	...	30	...	4 36	...	...	...	S.G. Macklin, 139 Cayuga St.	2
58	...	...	...	58	....	5	7	64	35	1	58 62	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	1	1	Hy. Cox, Burford	3
49	...	...	...	49	....	30	6	55	30	...	71 49	20	35	55	...	3 50	...			J. H. Muir, R.R. 1 New Durham	4
100	...	...	...	100	....	46	7	45	25	...	55 98	....	50	50	...	35 00	...	5	5	John Ross, Embro	5
rns.																					6
52	1	7	8	60	....	5	7	52	35	...	61 27	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	Miss Jennie Smith, Forest	7
17	...	...	...	17	1	....	8	50	30	...	52 66	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	Duncan Smith, R.R. 5, Forest P.O	8
18	...	...	...	18	....	2	6	50	40	...	40 00	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	W. Fraser, R.R. 3 Forest P.O.	9
14	...	...	...	14	....	4	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	Miss Jennie Smith Forest	10
41	8	13	21	62	2	....	10	60	48	...	106 35	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	Miss S. Silcox, R.R. 3, Shedden	11
15	...	...	...	15	....	2	6	35	28	...	74 04	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	Angus Turner, Lawrence P.O	12
52	6	8	14	66	3	....	7	40	30	...	56 00	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	...	...	J. McClanahan, R.R. 4, Belwood P.O.	13
125	...	...	...	125	....	7	12	132	96	3	100 17	45	20	65	3	34 00	...	4	4	F. Waters, 27 Arthur St.	14
306	23	11	34	340	13	....	23	186	142	18	229 45	38	49	87	...	119 43	...	22	22	H. Palmer, 16 Spruceside	15
68	2	4	6	74	5	....	18	130	92	7	194 72	....	...	No	ne	.....	1	6	7	M. L. Pfeiffer, 74 Chatham Street	16
rns.																					17
98	18	19	37	135	4	....	23	85	66	2	212 74	10	20	30	...	175 00	...	2	2	F. W. Robins, 24 Ridout St	18
80	...	...	...	80	....	6	19	162	85	2	205 98	13	9	22	...	27 80	...	4	4	E. A. Ford, 177 Maitland Street	19
103	...	...	...	103	5	....	10	70	50	2	65 00	30	20	50	2	40 00	...	2	2	R. E. Paine, Walnut St., Paris	20
102	...	...	...	102	....	43	15	125	75	...	133 88	20	10	30	...	12 60	...	2	2	Melvin Halliday, Scotland	21
55	7	11	18	73	....	4	6	40	31	...	36 16	15	7	22	...	56 42	...	...	...	Miss F. K. McGladery R.R. 5. Guelph	22
100	...	...	...	100	25	....	11	140	80	8	130 00	30	...	30	6	20 00	...	25	25	J. D. Woltz, 53 Norman St., Stratford	23
26	2	3	5	31	....	2	6	30	17	2	62 48	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	2	2	Hy. Burgess, R.R. 3, Tilbury P.O	24
27	...	...	...	27	....	36	6	25	20	...	8 00	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	3	3	H. Wheeler, P.O. Box 101, Woodstock	25
63	...	...	...	63	....	....	7	40	32	...	29 60	....	...	No	ne	.....	2	5	7	Miss E. Hume, Watford P.O	26
37	9	7	16	53	....	9	9	40	40	...	75 19	....	...	No	ne	.....	...	3	3	Fred. Thompson, Watford P.O.	27
1822	88	95	183	2005	60	201	250	1834	1245	47	2355 00	251	220	471	11	528 17	3	86	89		
1873	96	107	203	2214	80	97	247	1840	1225	46	2348 46	270	99	369	19	577 25	22	81	103		

CHURCHES IN ONTARIO, WESTERN

	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Belwood										1200		1200	
2	Brantford	1835	1	Brick	400	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	17000	3500	20500	
3	Burford	1837	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	2000	1950	3950	
4	New Durham	1852	1	Brick	200	Yes	Yes				32000		3200	
5	Embro	1872	1	Brick	500	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	12000	2000	14000	1500
6	Forest, Central	1859	1	Brick	250	Yes	Yes				3300		3300	
7	" Plympton	1886	1	Frame	125	Yes	Yes				800		800	
8	" Lake Shore	1880	1	Brick	150	Yes	Yes				1000		1000	
9	" Ebenezer	1859	1	Frame	100	Yes	Yes				400		400	
10	Fergus Closed										300		300	
11	Frome	1847	1	Brick	200	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	3500	1800	5300	
12	" Lawrence	1907	1	Town Hall										
13	Garafraxa	1856	1	Brick	200	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	1200	1500	2700	
14	Guelph	1835	1	Stone	300	Yes	Yes				15000		15000	
15	Hamilton, First	1835	1	Brick	680	Yes	Yes				60000		60000	5886 21
16	" Immanuel	1893	1	Brick	150	Yes	Yes				5000		5000	700
17	Kincardine										700	800	1500	
18	London, First	1837	1	Brick	775	Yes	Yes				30000		30000	
19	" Southern	1892	1	Brick	400	Yes	Yes				10000		10000	
20	Paris	1876	1	Brick	600	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	15000	4000	19000	
21	Scotland	1835	1	Frame	200	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	2500	2000	4500	650
22	Speedside	1845	1	Stone	200	Yes	Yes	FRAME & BK	Yes	Yes	2000	1200	3200	
23	Stratford	1846	1	Brick	360	Yes	Yes				7000		7000	1200
24	Tilbury	1861	1	Wood	125	Yes	Yes				1000		1000	
25	Woodstock	1885	1	Stone	450	Yes	Yes				15000		15000	3000
26	Watford	1869	1	Brick	300	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	3500	1500	5000	
27	" Warwick	1839	1	Brick	100	Yes	Yes				800		800	
				Totals							213400	20250	233650	1393621
				Last Year Totals							222400	19900	242300	13436

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CHURCH FINANCES

Local Church Purposes	Union	Prov. Fund	College	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Women's Board Missions	Other Denominational Purposes	General Benevolent Purposes	Total Raised	Increase	Decrease	Amount Missionary Grant	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
													1
2749 13	35 00	26 97	23 90	142 77	136 39	290 26		400 20	3804 62	622 79			2
465 61			7 55	11 55	19 50	11 75		55 25	571 21		130 33		3
627 19	1 25		1 50	10 95	22 90	12 00	73 33	11 55	687 34	87 82			4
1603 84	10 00			32 50	33 57	100 00	700 16	7 50	2487 57	978 57			5
818 88		5 00	5 00	30 00	32 00	59 74			969 12	11 49			6
333 61				6 00	5 50			16 70	361 81	105 52			7
200 00									200 00		100 00		8
	Included in Forest Church												9
													10
762 72	2 00		2 65	17 50	28 00	99 35		45 00	957 22	230 50			11
304 83	3 78			14 00	68 00			40 00	430 61	179 18			12
453 49	2 00			3 35	2 00	32 17		9 10	502 31	20 32			13
2263 93	35 00	10 00	50 00	92 81	192 81	191 49		76 11	2912 15		480 64		14
4200 74	77 21	65 32	82 24	322 85	356 98	120 04	1323 58	204 59	6753 55		543 66		15
954 12	5 00	5 00		26 80	76 10			31 85	1098 87		292 74	150 00	16
													17
2500 00	20 15	4 35	8 75	31 23	26 23	70 43	500 00	50 00	3200 00		5523 00		18
1272 70				53 20	30 00	123 00		84 00	1794 99	139 27			19
841 65				33 97	31 62				1240 64		650 70		20
1698 48	15 00	5 00	8 50	28 64	148 13	10 00	4 65	32 75	1951 15		87 22		21
700 00			4 00	10 64	10 00	72 89	1 00		826 23		160 61		22
1950 00		5 00		15 00	15 00				2200 00	190 00		150 00	23
300 00	2 00	8 50	6 50	44 38	42 00			45 00	448 38	104 24			24
1385 35	6 00		6 40	15 00	6 25				1419 00	256 00		100 00	25
643 00				20 00	12 00				675 00	14 00			26
448 00		4 60		13 25	7 75			19 00	492 60		1 40		27
27477 27	214 37	139 74	206 99	976 59	1302 73	1193 12	2602 72	1128 60	35984 37	2939 70	7970 30	400 00	
26539 10	216 99	159 21	239 18	1414 34	1274 26	1211 35	1481 43	1269 38	41102 97	9881 67	1972 51	769 72	

CHURCHES IN ONTARIO, EASTERN

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member					
									Removals				Re	
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Kingston, First	E. Leroy Rice	1910	1910	C.C.C. and McG ll	300	5	....	....	4	....	....	....	....
2	" Bethel	C. J. Stephens	.....	1916	Supply	300	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	" Calvary	John Lyall	1912	1914	Private	160	....	1	....	....	....	....	20	42
4	Lanark	John Murray	1910	1914	Private	200	....	9	7	2	....	....	....	....
5	Middleville	Duncan McColl	.....	1915	Private	150	....	....	....	3	....	....	9	30
6	Hopetown	Duncan McColl	.....	1915	Private	74	....	....	1	1	....	....	15	23
7	Rosetta	Duncan McColl	.....	1915	Private	90	1	....	....	....	....	....	23	25
8	Ottawa, First	Joseph Thackeray	1894	1912	Priv. Con. Uy. Eng.	300	3	8	1	5	....	....	51	87
9	" Welcome Zion	Vacant, Pastor at Fr	ont.	Re	v. I. L. Alexander Supplying	410	29	4	....	1	....	....	40	77
10	" South	Vacant	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
11	Maxville	H. D. Whitmore	1900	1914	Private	300	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	....
12	" Bloomington	H. D. Whitmore	1900	1914	Private	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
					Totals	2284	40	22	10	16	....	....	158	284
					Last Year	2450	67	17	14	24	....	29	217	352

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ship maining					Rela- tive		Sunday School					Y. P. Societies					Bap- tism			Secretary	
Total	Males Non-Resident	Females Non-Resid't	Total	Total Present Membership	Increase	Decrease	Teachers and Officers	Scholars on Roll	Average Attendance	Joined Church	Money Raised	Active Members	Associate Members	Total	Joined Church	Money Raised	Adults	Infants	Total		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	
109	...	...	...	109	1	....	16	120	70	4	130 25	20	...	20	...	35 57	...	11	11	R. J. McKelvey, 134 Bagot Street.....	1
140	...	...	...	150	....	19	20	140	120	...	189 86	16	13	29	...	27 71	...	...	...	Robert Coffey, Upper William Street.	2
62	...	...	...	62	2	....	14	130	84	...	146 00	24	...	24	...	38 00	...	8	8	T. Potter, cor. Jenkins & Frontenac, Kingston	3
147	...	...	...	147	....	....	5	56	48	...	67 94	....	....	....	...	.....	...	...	...	Geo. J. Hunt, Lanark....	4
39	...	5	5	44	....	3	5	63	20	...	12 27	....	...	....	...	.....	1	1	2	J. Mather, Middleville...	5
38	...	...	...	38	....	....	4	25	20	...	5 00	....	...	....	...	.....	...	...	...	John F. Gunn, Lanark...	6
48	...	...	...	48	....	....	5	45	35	1	5 73	....	...	....	...	.....	...	...	...	A. Craig, Rosetta.....	7
138	18	14	32	220	39	....	14	140	100	2	201 86	15	...	15	1	140 70	...	4	4	J. S. Chamberlain, P.O Box 415, Ottawa.....	8
117	30	20	50	167	19	....	19	196	150	11	361 73	8	6	14	1	45 00	2	6	8	G. W. Paterson, 583 Echo Drive, Ottawa	9
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	A. E. Revell, 28 Euclid Av	10
197	...	...	...	197	80	....	11	65	45	2	90 00	33	...	33	2	6 56	...	1	1	P. F. McEwen, Maxville	11
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	12
1035	48	39	87	1182	142	22	113	980	692	20	1210 66	116	19	135	4	293 54	3	31	34		
988	21	30	75	1063	50	28	122	1054	762	41	1447 08	129	16	145	10	346 50	9	42	51		

CHURCHES IN ONTARIO, EASTERN

	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Kingston, First	1849	1	Stone	500	Yes	Yes	Jantr'sH	Yes	Yes	35000	1200	36200	.....
2	" Bethel	1874	1	Brick	400	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	15000	.....	15000	.....
3	" Calvary	1889	1	Frame	275	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	2000	.....	2000	.....
4	Lanark	1853	1	Stone	260	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	6500	1000	7500	.....
5	Middleville	1852	1	Stone	200	Yes	No	Frame	Yes	Yes	3000	900	3900	.....
6	Hopetown	1852	1	Frame	150	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	1500	.....	1500	.....
7	Rosetta	1852	1	Frame	150	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	1500	.....	1500	.....
8	Ottawa, First	1860	1	Brick	500	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	58000	.....	58000	16000
9	" Welcome Zion	1896	1	Brick	300	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	15000	.....	15000	4500
10	" South	1910	1	Brick	200	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	5000	.....	5000	1200
11	Maxville	1835	1	Brick	250	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	3000	1500	4500	.....
12	" Bloomington	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
								Totals	.....	.....	145500	4600	150100	21700
								Last Year	.....	.....	147800	4600	152400	21700

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16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
2131 71	25 00	.....	.....	120 00	75 00	.....	.....	250 00	2785 01	.....	414 99	100 00	1
1240 00	.....	.....	.....	No Returns		.....	.....	.....	1240 00	.....	1212 95	.....	2
767 95	6 40	2 45	.....	10 80	26 00	23 48	136 05	68 56	1041 69	.....	101 23	350 00	3
1217 28	15 00	19 80	.....	65 25	10 00	10 00	20 00	116 00	1498 76	.....	362 40	.....	4
489 26	6 30	.....	6 00	31 96	.....	.....	.....	10 37	500 00	5 71	.....	.....	5
230 55	3 92	.....	4 75	10 70	.....	.....	.....	6 56	256 48	.....	10 28	.....	6
303 41	5 50	1 20	6 06	19 62	27 19	.....	.....	16 55	379 53	Last Year's Figures			7
3290 12	.....	.....	.....	No Returns		.....	.....	.....	5834 58	1670 81	.....	.....	8
2460 69	.....	10 00	.....	25 00	47 00	.....	.....	35 10	2577 79	.....	553 34	.....	9
.....	.....	.....	.....	No Returns		this Year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
1093 99	20 00	13 10	41 00	136 56	75 75	177 14	.....	82 25	1639 79	26 79	.....	.....	11
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12
13224 96	82 12	46 55	57 81	419 89	260 94	210 62	156 05	585 39	17753 63	1703 31	2655 19	450 00	
14946 81	190 00	67 60	259 36	841 53	616 68	686 08	223 08	440 35	19263 87	2324 03	804 24	537 00	

CHURCHES IN NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member					
									Removals					Re
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Brandon, Man ...	Student Lloyd.....	.....	.....	C.C.C.....	140	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
2	Calgary, Alta....	Rev. J. McDougall...	.....	.....	Supply Methodist College.....	300	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3	Carlton Union....	Ben. Rolph, LL.D....	1905	1905	Trinity Col., Dublin	200	....	....	....	....	....	....	44	40
	Skipton.....	Ben. Rolph, LL.D....	.....	.....	Trinity Col., Dublin	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Balmoral	Ben. Rolph, LL.D....	.....	.....	Trinity Col., Dublin	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Ottawa.....	Ben. Rolph, LL.D....	.....	.....	Trinity Col., Dublin	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
4	Glyndyr, Sask....	W. T. Morris	1879	1903	Bala. Con. College	300	N	o R	et	ur	ns			
5	1German Work .	H. I. Dietrich.....	1901	1916	Chicago Sy	300	....	....	....	....	....	....	43	43
	Calgary	H. I. Dietrich.....	1901	1916	Chicago Sy	300	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
6	Hanna Alberta...	Fred. G. Anhorn.....	1910	1915	Chicago Sy	200	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Mayton.....	Fred. G. Anhorn.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Sunny Slope...	Fred. G. Anhorn.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy	296	32	4	1	....	....	....	60	59
	Besiker.....	Fred. G. Anhorn.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy	32	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
7	2Prussia, Sask...	H. Freise.....	1915	1914	Chicago Sy	150	....	....	....	....	....	....	28	29
	Hilda.....	H. Freise.....	1915	.....	Chicago Sy	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Westerham.....	H. Freise.....	1915	.....	Chicago Sy	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
8	3Irvine, Alta	Rev. E. Bernstein.....	1914	1914	Chicago Sy	350	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Kincorth.....	Rev. E. Bernstein.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Forres.....	Rev. E. Bernstein.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Keiley Springs	Rev. E. Bernstein.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Schiller.....	Rev. E. Bernstein.....	.....	.....	Chicago Sy.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
9	Landis, Sask.....	Rev. T. Williams, B.A.	BD.	1916	England.....	150	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Pinewherry....	Rev. T. Williams, B.A.	BD.	.....	England.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Porters Settle't	Rev. T. Williams, B.A.	BD.	.....	England.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
10	Landis, Sask.....	Student Knighton...	.....	1916	C.C.C. and McGill	75	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Naseby.....	Student Knighton...	.....	.....	C.C.C. and McGill	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Crane Creek ..	Student Knighton...	.....	.....	C.C.C. and McGill	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Cando.....	Student Knighton....	.....	.....	C.C.C. and McGill	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
11	Swedish Work .	Rev. C. G. Anderson	.....	.....	Chicago, Ill	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Wetaskiwin Alt	Rev. C. G. Anderson	.....	.....	Chicago, Ill.....	100	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	New Sweden...	Rev. C. G. Anderson	.....	.....	Chicago, Ill	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Teoford	Rev. C. G. Anderson	.....	.....	Chicago, Ill.....	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
12	Highland Park...	G. A. Sanden	1901	1898	Chicago, Ill.....	200	2	....	....	....	....	....	14.	66
	Meeting Creek	G. A. Sanden	.....	.....	Chicago, Ill	100	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Little Beaver..	G. A. Sanden	.....	.....	Chicago, Ill.....	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

AND BRITISH COLUMBIA—TABLE NO. 1.

ship maining					Rela tive		Sunday School					Y. P. Societies					Bap tism			Secretary	
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
65				65		51	10	75	64		149 92									Thos. Dorsett, 429 9th Street Brandon.....	1
96				149			11	84	66		156 12	18	5	23		100 30		6	6	C. R. Wonnacott, 3810 Centre St.....	2
84				84	14			60	40									4	4	Wm. Mattock, Chell-wood, Via Morcellin...	3
						25														David Jones, Glyndyr Llewellyn, Sask.....	4
86				86		52	7	70	65											M. R. Schutz, 419 11th Street, Calgary, N.E.	5
																				F. Anhorn, Sunny Slope Calgary.....	6
119				119	27		5	86	65		15 00						1	13	14		
57				57		4	5	35	15									9	9	Ernest Freise, Box 1 Prussia, Sask.....	7
86				86			5	80	60											Rev. E. Bernste n Irvine	8
20				20																Alberta.....	
20				20			5	40	30											Mr. Nelles Nunn, Landis Sask.....	9
10				10			4	20	15											Wm. Affleck, Naseby P.O. Sask.	10
																				F. Marshall, Cando, Sask.....	10
10				10			2														
																				C. G. Anderson, Wet-askiwin, P.O., Alta....	11
30				30			4	20	15												
10				10			2	20	10												
10	2			10			2	20	10												
30		2	4	34														4	4	G. Backstoon, Highland Park.....	12
30																					
10																					

CHURCHES IN NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member Removals				Member Re	
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
13	Carlstadt, Alberta	Rev. N. C. Barrie....	1893	1910	Chicago, Ill.....	100	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Loverna, Sask...	Rev. N. Dalton.....	.. ...	1914	England.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Vancouver, B. C.	Vacant	.....	.....	.....	350	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	...
16	" Knox.....	Vacant	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	" NewKnox	Supply.....	.....	1915	.....	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18	" Kitsilano.	A. E. Cooke.....	1907	1914	C.C.C. and Private	200	4	10	...	5	...	10	14	33
19	Winnipeg, Cent.	W. J. Hindley.....	1893	1914	Oberlin Theo. Sen'y	3000	86	38	6	36	...	...	...	...
20	" Institute...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	" StJas. Park	Vacant	.....	1915	.....	400	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	" Crescent..	A. J. McKenzie.....	1911	1915	C.C.C. and McGill	400	16	32	...	7	...	...	...	...
23	Victoria, B.C.....	C. Croucher.....	.....	1916	England	356	1	8	4	12	...	...	96	110
					Totals.....	8029	141	92	11	60	...	28	299	380
					Last year.....	8085	324	169	11	69	...	70	304	408

BRITISH COLUMBIA—TABLE NO. 1—*Continued.*

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40	...	...	...	40	...	...	3	20	20	...	.....	...	...	....	...	.....	...	...	...	Rev. N. C. Barrie, Carlstadt, Alberta.	13
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	Rev. W. Dalton, Loverna Sask.....	14
176	...	...	60	236	...	18	21	136	125	...	149 27	20	2	22	3	10 00	...	10	10	H. C. Woodcock, 3155	15
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.....	...	...	...	50	...	....	6	60	40	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	W. H. Lewthwaite, 2586 Eton St., Van.....	17
47	3	3	6	53		2	9	110	62	...	112 40	20	...	20	...	.....	...	5	5	W. I. S. Morton, York Street, Van..	18
1132	...	...	...	1667	82	...	31	446	282	30	408 53	30	9	39	...	140 00	...	45	45	A. L. Maclean, 479	19
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100	...	...	...	100	...	14	20	175	150	...	....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	H. B. Wray, 467 Home St. W., Winnipeg...	21
128	..	...	47	175	55	...	25	250	183	7	46 57	37	...	37	15	65 00	...	3	3	A. Artiss, 1041 Dorchester Ave., Winnipeg.	22
206	...	...	...	206	...	7	15	153	97	...	200 00	30	15	45	2	225 00	...	4	4	E. J. C. Smith, 80 Dallas Road.....	23
2602	5	5	117	3317	208	175	188	1960	1414	43	1653 00	155	31	186	20	540 30	1	97	98		
2938	55	59	414	3352	291	8	195	2201	1439	67	2364 04	309	134	442	26	109 38	4	186	190		

CHURCHES IN NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES

	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Brandon, Man	1889	1	Frame	200	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	7000	6000	13000	
2	Calgary, Alta	1910	1	Frame	300	Yes	Yes				7500	12500	20000	6000
3	Carlton Union	1905	2	Wood	80						450		450	
	Skipton	1905												
	Balmoral													
	Ottawa													
4	Glyndyr, Sask	1904		Sch. Ho										
5	German Work	1913	1	Frame	200		Yes				3000		3000	1000
	Calgary	1913												
6	Hanna, Alta	1911		House										
	Mayton													
	Sunnyslope										2800		2800	150
	Beiseker													
7	Prussia	1913	2	Frame	150	Yes	Yes	Frame	No	No	900	200	1100	200
	Hilda													
8	Irvine, Alta	1912		Sc. Houses										
	Kincorth													
	Forres													
	Keiley Springs													
9	Landis, Sask	1911	1	Frame	200						1000		1000	
	Pinewherry	1911	1	Frame	100						800		800	
	Porters Se em't	1911		Sch. Ho										
10	Landis, Sask													
	Naseby	1911		Sch. Ho										
	Crane Creek	1911	1	Frame	100						500		500	
	Cando	1911	1	Frame	100						500		500	
11	Swedish Work	1906												
	Wetaskiwin, Alta													
	New Sweden		1	Frame	200			Frame			2500	2000	4500	
	Teoford		1	Log	100						50		50	
12	Highland Park	1901	1	Frame	150		Yes				2500		2500	
	Meeting Creek	1906	1	Frame	100						800		800	
	Haylakes			Sch. Ho										
	Little Beaver			Sch. Ho										
13	Carlstadt, Alta	1910									No Report this year			
14	Loverna, Sask	1914												
15	Vancouver, 1st, B.C	1888	1	Brick	800	Yes	Yes	Frame			88500	32600	121100	26000
16	" Knox (Old Blg)										50000		50000	12000
17	" Grand View	1915	1	Wood		Yes	Yes				2500		2500	2500
18	" Kitsilano	1914	1	Frame	200		Yes				9000		9000	2500
19	Winnipeg, Central	1879	1	Br. & St	2400	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	330000	20000	350000	65000
20	" Institute	1915		Brick	250						9000		9000	3000
21	" St. James Pk	1907	1	Frame	200	Yes	Yes				50000		50000	7000
22	" Crescent	1910	1	Wood	450	Yes	Yes				20000		20000	8400
23	Victoria, B.C	1895	1	Brick	750	Yes	Yes				80000		80000	19000
											669300	73300	742600	152750
											544600	42200	710650	82750

AND BRITISH COLUMBIA—TABLE NO. 2.

CHURCH FINANCES

Local Church Purposes	Union	Prov. Fund	College	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Women's Board Missions	Other Denominational Purposes	General Benevolent Purposes	Total Raised	Increase	Decrease	Amount Missionary Grant	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
1300 00	.....	.....	.....	35 00	50 00	20 00	.....	20 00	1395 00	.....	.....	700 00	1
1827 33	.....	10 00	3 75	57 50	35 40	10 00	.....	75 00	2018 98	.....	345 84	600 00	2
90 00	.....	.....	3 00	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	7 00	106 00	.....	25 00	350 00	3
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100 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100 00	.....	.....	.....	6
100 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100 00	.....	.....	.....	
2200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2200 00	.....	.....	83 00	
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200 00	.....	.....	.....	51 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	251 00	.....	.....	.....	7
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155 00	.....	.....	.....	10 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	175 00	.....	.....	500 00	12
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1276 58	.....	.....	.....	29 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	1305 83	51 88	.....	480 00	18
15674 00	100 00	.....	71 65	.....	440 47	.....	.....	1530 89	17817 01	.....	9046 56	.....	19
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1500 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1500 00	.....	.....	900 00	21
2815 49	.....	.....	25 10	45 69	15 00	10 00	580 00	10 00	3490 28	.....	1165 16	.....	22
4075 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65 00	4140 00	.....	2963 74	.....	23
38596 53	118 00	19 00	121 50	302 44	646 87	55 00	580 00	1807 89	42206 23	51 88	16743 33	4613.00	
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CHURCHES IN QUEBEC

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member					
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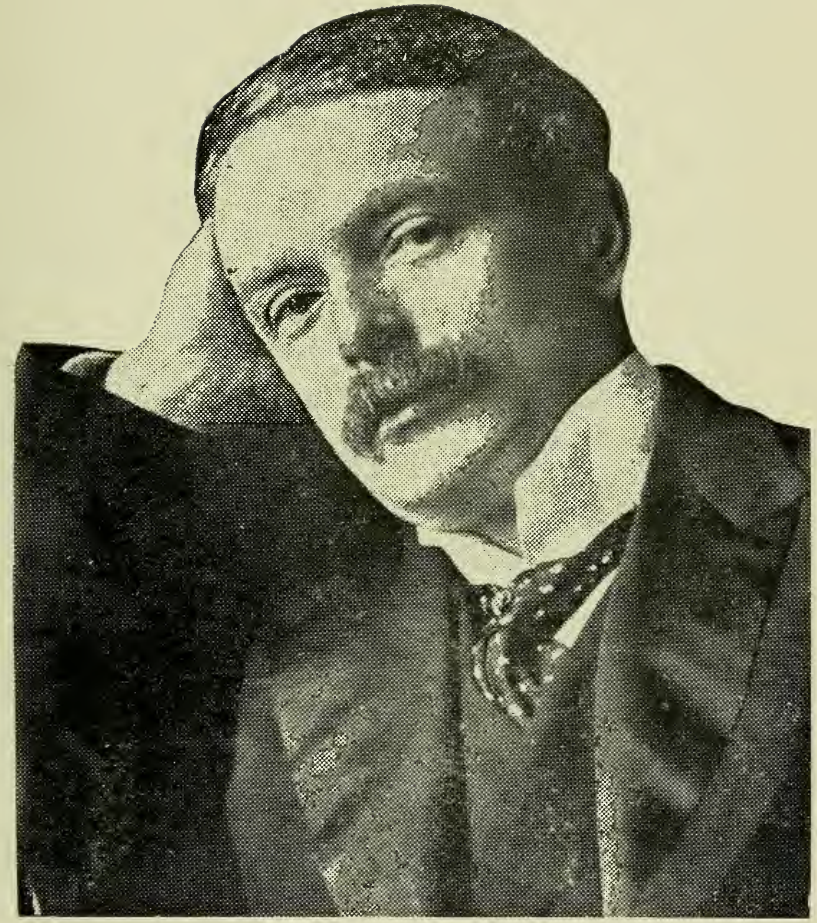
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Ayer's Cliff	Churchill Moore	1890	1906	C.C.C. and McGill	300	3	2	2	4	...	...	40	45
2	" Boynton	Churchill Moore	1890	1906	C.C.C. and McGill	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Brigham	W. Paley,	...	...	Student	150	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	15
4	Cowansville	T. W. Jones,	...	1916	Student	200	8	3	1	...	...	...	25	39
5	Danville	L. A. Maclean, B.A.	1899	1913	Dalhousie, Halifax.	450	5	2	3	...	...	...	42	72
6	Durham-Ulvert'n	G. H. Craik, B.A.	1892	1907	C.C.C. and McGill	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	29
7	Eaton	Vacant	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Franklin Centre	Student Supply	...	...	...	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Fitch Bay	F. J. Malzard	...	1915	C.C.C. and Course	200	1	3	...	...	...	...	11	19
10	Granby	A. F. Pollock, B.D.	1896	1913	C.C.C. and Oberlin	400	7	4	...	1	...	2	58	105
11	Melbourne	G. H. Craik, B.A.	1892	1907	C.C.C. and McGill	200	3	2	2	4	...	5	37	61
12	Montreal " Zion	H. J. Kilbourn	1896	1913	Vermont and Union	725	19	10	1	11	18	...	...	...
13	" Fairmount A	H. J. Kilbourn	1896	1913	Vermont and Union	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	" Emmanuel	Hugh Pedley, D.D.	1877	1900	C.C.C. and McGill	1200	17	21	3	5	...	...	...	...
15	" Calvary Bethlehem	T. W. Davidson	1893	1914	Meth. Col., Belfast	650	57	60	...	11	...	...	153	234
16	" Amherst Pk	Student Supply.	...	...	...	550	8	10	1	8	...	...	54	63
17	" Union	Rev. A. E. Gregory,	...	1915	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18	" Crystal Sp'gs	J. A. Steed	...	1911	C.C.C. Student.	200	9	14	...	...	...	2	18	36
19	"Pt.St.Charles	H. A. Carson	1904	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	625	44	10	3	2	...	...	125	169
20	Stanstead South.	H. Franklin Hallett.	1891	1911	Private	200	2	3	5	1	...	...	17	30
21	St. Andrew's	Closed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Sherbrooke	G. Ellery Reed.	1893	1905	C.C.C. and McGill	575	...	7	3	3	...	...	68	104
23	Waterville	A. E. Teale	1915	1915	C.C.C. and McGill	250	2	...	6	1	...	...	38	52
					Totals	7380	185	151	30	52	18	9	713	1073
					Last Year	7383	109	112	33	59	...	228	641	9



DAVID LLOYD GEORGE,
Minister of Munitions.

ASSOCIATION—TABLE NO. I.

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85	10	12	22	107	....	15	6	50	35	2	38 00	20	20	40	4	45 74	2	1	3	Mrs. Chas. Libby, Ayer's Cliff.....	1
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	,, ,,	2
21	2	8	10	31	....	....	4	16	8	...	18 39	....	....	....	....	.....	...	1	1	Miss F. Hawke, Brigham	3
64	...	8	8	72	14	....	9	50	45	4	95 34	10	15	25	2	10 00	...	5	5	P. A. Reiter, Cowansville	4
114	12	22	34	148	8	....	14	127	68	4	232 12	15	5	20	...	15 00	3	4	7	L. E. Findlay, Danville	5
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.....	...	...	...	45	....	....	4	23	20	...	20 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	W. H. Trainer, Franklin Centre	8
30	2	18	20	50	3	....	8	32	20	...	29 91	....	....	....	....	.....	2	8	10	Mrs. O. W. Brown, R. M. D., 2 Ayer's Cliff.....	9
163	18	28	46	209	9	....	18	169	60	...	133 87	10	21	31	...	30 00	...	4	4	J. G. Fuller, Granby.....	10
98	9	12	21	119	....	17	7	32	28	2	126 35	....	....	....	....	.....	...	4	4	J. Alexander, Melbourne	11
281	...	...	...	281	....	....	43	207	114	7	422 66	42	...	42	8	13 25	...	5	5	Write Pastor.	12
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	20	130	100	5	313 09	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	Write Rev. Kilbourn.	13
431	...	...	...	431	30	....	27	95	102	9	172 53	60	...	60	3	338 62	2	14	16	C. A. Bennett, 77 Souvenir Ave	14
387	39	50	89	476	135	....	22	160	135	24	250 00	32	27	60	12	37 00	...	33	33	Geo. McGarry, 6 Ingleside Ave., Westmount	15
117	4	2	6	123	....	....	17	180	168	5	160 00	23	...	23	4	20 00	...	10	10	W. J. Cole, 1313 St. Vanier St., St. Dennis Bd.	16
52	...	...	...	52	....	....	9	30	20	...	30 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	...	...	Rev. A. E. Gregory, 279 St. Antoine St.	17
54	5	5	10	64	21	....	8	69	59	3	69 58	50	...	50	...	35 00	...	5	5	J. A. Steed, Cong'l Coll., Montreal.....	18
294	72	51	123	417	53	....	33	430	260	32	512 57	55	7	62	20	70 00	2	48	50	J. H. Pritchard, 76 La Salle Road, Verdun	19
47	6	13	19	66	....	3	10	100	55	...	36 85	....	....	....	....	.....	1	3	4	O. M. Carpenter, Derby Line, Vermont	20
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	Write Rev. W. T. Gunn.	21
172	27	40	67	239	1	....	18	116	90	...	234 35	....	....	....	....	.....	...	10	10	F. S. Rugg, Quebec Central Bd., Sherbrooke	22
90	4	4	8	98	1	....	19	103	68	...	60 00	....	....	....	....	.....	...	4	4	L. Larson, Waterville....	23
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2550	210	273	483	3078	275	35	298	2134	1463	97	2965 61	317	95	413	53	614 61	12	159	171		
2227	161	229	443	2834	42	188	345	2199	1564	55	2949 06	369	159	528	33	481 00	9	142	151		

Nos. 12 and 16 are last year's figures.

CHURCHES IN QUEBEC

	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Ayer's Cliff	1889	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	4000	2000	6000	
2	Boynton		1	Wood	150	Yes	Yes				1600		1600	
3	Brigham	1873	1	Brick	150	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	6000	1500	7500	
4	Cowansville	1860	1	Brick	250	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	8000	2500	10500	
5	Danville Federated	1832	4	Brick	250		Yes	Brick		Yes	22000	3000	25000	
6	Durham, Ulverton	1837	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes				2000		2000	
7	Eaton		1	Wood							1500		1500	
8	Franklin Centre	1832	1	Stone	150	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	1500	1300	2800	
9	Fitch Bay	1856	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	1500	1300	2800	
10	Granby	1830	1	Brick	350	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	16000	2500	18500	
11	Melbourne	1837	1	Brick	300	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	8000	2200	10200	
	Montreal													
12	" Zion	1832	1	Stone	600	Yes	Yes				40000		40000	4000
13	" Fairmount			Hall										
14	" Emmanuel	1875	1	Br. and St.	1050	Yes	Yes	St. & Br.	Yes	Yes	140000	8000	148000	
15	" Calvary,	1887	1	Br. and St.	800	Yes	Yes	St. & Br.	Yes	Yes	115000	23000	138000	44000
16	" Amherst Park	1900	1	Brick	300	Yes	Yes				35000		35000	6600
17	" Union	1907	1	Hall rent'd										
18	" Crystal Sp'gs	1913	1	Frame	150	Yes	Yes				4000		4000	500
19	" Pt. St. Charles	1891	1	Concrete	800	Yes	Yes				50000		50000	
20	Stanstead South	1816	1	Wood	250	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	10000	5000	15000	
21	St. Andrew's			Closed							4000		4000	
22	Sherbrooke	1835	1	Brick	400	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	15000	4500	19500	
23	Waterville	1862	1	Brick	250	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	10000	3500	13500	1300
24	Quebec Extension													
								Totals			495100	60300	555400	56400
								Last Year			482600	60300	542900	60000

ASSOCIATION—TABLE NO. 2.

CHURCH FINANCES

Local Church Purposes	Union	Prov. Fund	College	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Women's Board Missions	Other Denominational Purposes	General Benevolent Purposes	Total Raised	Increase	Decrease	Amount Missionary Grant	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
800 00	.....	.....	17 70	40 00	28 70	30 00	.....	175 00	1091 40	82 60	.....	.....	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
500 00	.....	.....	10 00	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	550 00	.....	206 00	.....	3
1695 34	8 50	6 00	20 00	45 00	71 95	76 03	.....	221 26	2144 08	597 08	.....	.....	4
2007 00	20 00	12 00	30 00	48 00	60 00	95 00	.....	626 00	2898 00	186 00	.....	.....	5
350 00	11 05	6 00	12 50	17 43	23 65	.....	.....	.....	425 63	.....	43 97	.....	6
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
386 00	9 00	.....	.....	21 15	15 00	.....	.....	.....	455 15	.....	.....	.....	8
278 73	8 00	4 70	.....	19 32	6 44	20 00	.....	16 00	335 97	.....	103 85	450 00	9
2700 00	26 50	12 00	116 65	274 60	146 15	197 00	300 00	238 30	4011 20	783 99	.....	.....	10
972 74	16 00	6 00	15 00	53 00	29 25	33 57	60 00	333 75	1518 56	223 70	.....	.....	11
3484 23	40 00	15 00	65 00	170 80	121 00	135 85	.....	321 57	4253 45	.....	795 28	.....	12
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13
9153 14	145 67	243 84	469 26	904 55	796 33	420 56	469 15	486 64	13289 14	.....	5290 11	.....	14
17279 00	72 00	47 00	227 00	309 88	227 22	198 48	.....	639 63	19000 21	5973 72	.....	.....	15
3930 19	16 00	6 00	10 00	20 00	25 00	36 00	25 00	38 00	4106 19	.....	.....	500 00	16
1037 50	.....	.....	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1147 00	.....	.....	120 00	17
1036 53	.....	.....	5 00	6 40	5 00	.....	.....	67 54	1120 47	513 89	.....	.....	18
2471 58	.....	7 00	10 60	89 05	73 35	19 00	.....	110 33	3450 44	.....	617 94	100 00	19
1749 15	20 00	10 00	20 00	50 00	40 00	12 50	.....	29 40	1931 05	.....	25 71	.....	20
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21
4177 30	50 00	21 62	60 00	117 25	110 00	85 76	.....	433 07	5055 00	.....	167 30	.....	22
1205 62	.....	.....	.....	21 70	21 70	.....	.....	.....	1419 02	.....	.....	.....	23
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24
55313 55	442 72	397 16	1038 71	2228 13	1800 74	1369 75	854 15	3736 49	68201 96	8360 98	6454 88	1170 00	
48369 34	444 06	350 73	1019 77	2359 01	1723 56	1883 15	6413 21	2335 50	67144 71	2483 78	5770 73	1270 00	

CHURCHES IN NOVA SCOTIA

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member						Re
							By Profession	By Letter	Removals				Males Resident	Females Resident	
									By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
	Nova Scotia:														
1	Brooklyn	F. G. Purnell		1915	C.C.C. and Private	300	2	....	2	....	....	....	22	49	
2	Beach Meadows.	F. G. Purnell		1915	C.C.C. and Private	280	1	....	1	....	....	....	4	46	
3	Chebogue	Wm. J. Bevis	1913	1913	C.C.C. & Glasgow	75	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	
4	Economy	Vacant.	....	....	Bapt. Supply	218	....	....	2	....	....	....	18	30	
5	Kingsport and Medford	H. G. Wright	1914	1915	C.C.C. & Glasgow	250	5	3	....	4	....	....	23	6	
6	Lower Selmah	A. E. Mann	1908	1914	Huntingdon & Eng.	45	....	....	....	....	....	14	6	10	
7	Liverpool, Zion	Geo. E. Miller	1915	1915	C.C.C. & London	150	2	....	1	1	....	....	7	24	
8	Noel	A. E. Mann	1908	1914	Huntingdon & Eng.	60	1	....	....	....	....	25	....	....	
9	South Maitland	A. E. Mann	1908	1914	Huntingdon & Eng.	66	....	....	....	4	....	....	..	....	
10	Margaree	John H. Sulston	1913	1913	C.C.C. and Glasgow	180	2	....	....	....	....	....	16	26	
11	Milton	H. G. Wright	1914	1912	C.C.C. & Glasgow	100	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
12	Pleasant River	G. W. Ball	1894	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	100	....	....	2	....	....	....	8	16	
13	Bakers Settleme't	G. W. Ball	1894	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	100	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	15	
14	Hemford	G. W. Ball	1894	1914	C.C.C. and McGill	200	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	23	
15	Yarmouth	W. J. D. Gibson	1909	1911	Highbury, England	250	....	....	1	....	....	....	39	89	
	New Brunswick														
16	Keswick Ridge	E. J. Thompson	1898	1910	Nottingham, Eng.	200	5	....	3	....	....	....	34	45	
17	Sheffield	J. W. Cox, B.A	1877	1908	C.C.C	50	2	....	....	....	....	....	11	13	
18	Mangerville	J. W. Cox, B.A	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
19	St. John	R. J. Haughton	1891	1913	Richmond, Eng.	150	3	....	4	2	....	53	12	38	
					Totals	2774	23	5	16	11	....	92	224	470	
					Last Year	2922	35	10	12	12	....	69	218	502	

AND NEW BRUNSWICK—TABLE NO. 1.

ship maining						Rela- tive		Sunday School					Y. P. Societies					Bap- tism			Secretary	
Total	Males Non-Resident	Females Non-Resid't	Total	Total Present Membership	Increase	Decrease	Teachers and Officers	Scholars on Roll	Average Attendance	Joined Church	Money Raised	Active Members	Associate Members	Total	Joined Church	Money Raised	Adults	Infants	Total		
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
71	...	...	...	71	...	...	12	139	78	...	105 98	25	...	25	...	.....	2	...	2	Capt. Enos McLeod, Brooklyn, Queen's Co.	1
50	...	...	...	50	...	...	10	53	40	...	25 00	25	15	40	...	4 00	...	...	...	Mrs. H. Wentzell, Beach Meadow.....	2
40	...	...	...	40	....	...	3	28	20	...	12 33	....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	E. Churchill, R.M.D.No. 2, Yarmouth	3
48	...	4	4	52	....	7	4	40	25	...	46 00	....	...	....	..	.....	...	...	...	Enoch Huntly, Economy	4
69	4	6	10	9	...	...	7	34	27	2	10 00	18	7	25	3	7 50	...	...	...	Mrs. I. Kennedy, Canning, N. S.	5
														34	...	25 00					
16	8	6	14	30	2	....	....	.....	...	...	.....	....	...	....	...	.....	...	2	2	A.Anthony, L. Selmah...	6
31	4	23	27	58	....	....	7	53	35	1	86 00	.....	...	....	..	.....	...	...	...	Mrs. H. Dunlop, Liverpool.....	7
25	...	...	...	25	1	....	....	.....	...	...	.....	....	...	....	...	.....	...	...	...	M. M. O'Brien, Noel	8
31	...	...	...	31	....	3	7	36	19	...	8 62	....	...	....	...	.....	...	1	1	Mrs. W. Rose, Urbania, Hants.....	9
42	...	...	...	42	1	....	5	65	37	2	25 00	....	...	....	...	.....	...	5	5	W. R. Cranton, N.E. Margaree, C. B.....	10
39	...	...	...	39	...	....	5	40	31	...	25 00	....	...	....	...	.....	...	...	...	F. R. Freeman, Milton, Queen's Co	11
24	10	12	22	46	....	2	8	40	32	...	6 19	....	...	....	...	.....	...	5	5	Mrs. A. E. Ball, Colpton, Lunenburg	12
21	2	6	8	29	1	....	4	30	20	...	.....	....	...	....	...	.....	...	4	4	Mrs. A. Bolivar, Bakers Settlement.....	13
41	2	6	8	49	....	....	5	30	20	...	.....	...	...	....	...	.....	...	12	12	Mrs. T. W. Johnson, Nineveh, Lunenburg Co..	14
128	...	...	...	128	2	....	12	60	50	...	58 00	38	3	41	...	60 00	...	...	...	A. E. Williams, Yarmouth	15
79	5	12	17	96	....	1	6	52	36	4	40 00	....	...	....	...	.....	1	2	3	C. E. Pickard, Keswick Ridge, York Co.....	16
24	5	5	10	34	....	....	4	15	12	...	10 00	16	...	16	...	16 00	2	...	2	E. C. Burpee, R.F.D. No. 1, Mangerville.	17
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	18
50	6	13	19	69	....	1	7	50	30	2	101 00	....	...	....	...	.....	...	5	5	J.W.Flewelling, 3 Water St., St. John	19
879	46	93	138	968	7	14	106	765	512	11	559 12	122	25	181	3	112 50	5	36	41		
788	52	127	179	967	40	112	118	807	594	17	417 00	125	32	123	7	145 96	14	37	51		

CHURCHES IN NOVA SCOTIA

	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount. Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Nova Scotia:													
1	Brooklyn	1808	1	Wood	300	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	4000	1200	5200	
2	Beach Meadows	1862	1	Wood	300	Yes	Yes				3500		3500	
3	Chebogue	1760	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	4000	1200	5200	
4	Economy	1877	1	Wood	300	Yes	Yes				3000		3000	
5	Kingsport and Medford	1760	2	Wood	300	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	3000	1500	4500	168
6	Lower Selmah	1875	1	Wood	120	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	No	1000	750	1750	
7	Liverpool, Zion	1761	1	Wood	300	Yes	Yes				4000		4000	
8	Noel	1875	1	Wood	250	Yes	No	Wood	Yes	No	1500	750	2250	
9	South Maitland	1875	1	Wood	200	Yes	No	Wood	Yes	No	1000	750	1750	
10	Margaree	1822	2	Wood	300	Yes	Yes	Wood	No	No	4000	500	4500	
11	Milton	1855	1	Wood	250	Yes	No	Wood		Yes	4000	1200	5200	
12	Pleasant River	1846	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	No	1000	500	1500	
13	Baker's Settlement	1906	1	Wood	200	Yes	No				1000		1000	
14	Hemford	1877	1	Wood	200	Yes	No				500		500	
15	Yarmouth	1848	1	Stone	300	Yes	Yes	Wood			18000	2500	20500	
	New Brunswick:													
16	Keswick Ridge	1826	1	Wood	200	Yes	Yes	Wood	Yes	Yes	3000	1200	4200	
17	Sheffield and Mangerville	1763	1	Wood	200	No	Yes	Wood	No	Yes	3000	1500	4500	
18	St. John	1844	1	Brick	360	Yes	Yes				15000		15000	1200
								Totals			74500	13550	88050	1368
								Last Year			74500	13850	88350	1350

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16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
1108 49	5 25	3 00	.....	43 52	11 48	61 60	5 00	.....	1238 34	131 44	.....	.....	1
429 00	6 00	2 00	.....	5 00	6 00	14 00	6 00	.....	468 00	.....	105 74	.....	2
896 23	8 00	3 00	8 00	52 00	23 91	4 58	.....	16 05	1011 77	.....	130 11	.....	3
385 41	4 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 00	.....	.....	409 41	10 69	.....	.....	4
676 33	10 63	2 00	.....	43 55	10 00	41 00	.....	35 00	769 25	.....	.....	225 00	5
150 00	3 14	.....	.....	12 00	4 05	.....	.....	5 74	174 93	81 13	.....	.....	6
764 46	1 30	40	85	14 30	2 55	25 62	2 50	1 50	813 48	.....	302 40	91 65	7
170 80	3 00	.....	3 17	19 00	10 00	.....	.....	4 00	209 97	95 72	.....	.....	8
213 34	5 00	.....	.....	12 00	7 00	3 68	.....	.....	241 02	.....	63 64	150 00	9
360 00	4 00	.....	4 25	42 00	17 00	10 00	10 00	.....	447 25	.....	8 91	200 00	10
953 75	.....	.....	.....	20 00	27 50	64 42	.....	6 00	1071 67	.....	.....	.....	11
312 53	2 36	1 00	3 00	8 10	.....	15 00	3 00	5 00	349 99	103 04	.....	150 00	12
155 74	5 23	3 03	2 08	3 10	2 50	.....	.....	14 00	185 68	94 49	.....	.....	13
170 00	3 35	1 00	3 32	5 06	2 28	.....	5 00	35 00	225 01	56 07	.....	.....	14
1580 93	.....	7 00	6 00	45 00	102 37	.....	.....	14 10	1755 40	.....	274 92	.....	15
643 00	10 00	.....	10 00	25 80	8 35	69 00	.....	.....	766 15	.....	17 52	.....	16
600 00	5 00	.....	16 50	41 50	62 00	109 00	10 00	60 00	904 00	.....	.....	.....	17
1472 00	9 00	3 00	10 00	58 00	46 00	22 00	.....	20 00	1640 00	217 00	.....	500 00	18
11042 01	85 26	25 43	67 17	449 93	342 99	459 90	41 50	216 39	12681 34	789 58	903 24	1316 65	
10619 43	89 62	20 45	101 76	459 79	281 35	580 23	339 45	444 21	12954 31	2001 39	1114 57	1350 00	

UNITED BRETHREN CONGREGATIONAL

	NAME OF CHURCH	NAME OF MINISTER	Date of Ordination	Date of Present Settlement	Where Trained	Under Pastoral Care	Additions		Member Removals					Re	
							By Profession	By Letter	By Death	By Letter	By Discipline	By Revision	Males Resident	Females Resident	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
1	Berlin	M. H. Sanderson	1906	1908	C. Course	300	4	10	...	...	...	7	25	55	
2	Blenheim	Vacant	.....	.....		150	1			1	...	...	...	....	
3	Gainsboro	J. W. Newberry	1902	1911	C. Course	500	12	3	5	19	...	...	..	....	
4	Listowel	J. R. Wolstencroft	.....	1915	Private	150	4	....	1	...	6	...	...	....	
5	Port Elgin	Vacant	.....	.....		.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
6	Sheffield	M. N. Leckie	.....	1913	Private	250	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
7	Shelburn	D. I. Storms	.....	1915	Toronto Bible Coll.	200	....	....	2	....	...	2	....	....	
8	Sherkston	Jas. Plant	.....	1911	C. Course	100	13	....	1	1	...	3	...	...	
9	Waterloo	J. H. Williams	.....	1913	Private	200	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	
10	Zion	L. E. West	1913	1910	Private	400	5	2	1	...	...	12	....	....	
					Totals	2250	39	17	12	20	6	24	25	55	
					Last Year	2165	59	29	6	13	...	11	56	84	

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ship maining					Rela-tive		Sunday School					Y. P. Societies					Bap-tism			Secretary	
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80	4	9	13	93	25	....	21	80	51	2	106 88	37	...	37	...	30 00	1	3	4	J. W. Stainaman, 54 Brown St., Berlin	1
39	...	...	...	39	....	....	15	76	50	...	28 00	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	H. Tottle, Gobles.....	2
225	...	...	...	225	....	9	37	298	200	7	90 14	24	...	24	...	10 00	...	...	...	Wm. Mitchener, St. Anns P.O.....	3
72	...	...	...	72	....	3	16	74	50	3	108 80	45	...	45	...	129 00	...	...	...	H. Hallman, Listowel...	4
.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	Write M. H. Sanderson, Berlin	5
122	...	...	...	122	...	...	12	77	50	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	MissMcMurray, Shelburn	6
54	...	...	...	54	...	...	13	72	40	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	J. Sleightholm, Shelburn	7
91	...	...	...	91	8	....	21	128	80	4	31 50	35	9	44	...	18 00	...	7	7	E. Zavitz, R.R. No 1, Port Colborne.....	8
95	...	...	...	95	....	1	22	155	100	...	106 15	31	...	31	...	59 87	...	...	...	J. H. Shepherd, R.R. 2, Waterloo	9
223	...	...	...	223	...	6	25	200	150	...	67 00	...	...	...	...	.....	25	...	25	J. G. Wills, R.R. 1, Marshville P.O.....	10
1001	4	9	13	1014	33	19	182	1160	771	16	558 46	172	9	181	...	246 87	26	10	36		
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	NAME OF CHURCH	When Organized	CHURCH PROPERTY											
			No. Church Buildings	Material of Church	Sittings	Registered	Insured	Material of Parsonage	Registered	Insured	Value of Edifice	Value of Parsonage	Total Value	Amount Debt on Property
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	Berlin	1880	2	Br. & Fr.	300	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	8500	2200	10700	1950
2	Blenheim	.....	2	Brick	300	.....	Yes	Brick	.....	Yes	3400	600	4000	325
3	Gainsboro	.....	3	Br. & Fr.	300	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	7000	1000	8000	.....
4	Listowel	.....	1	Frame	300	.....	Yes	.....	.....	.....	3000	.....	3000	700
5	Port Elgin	.....	2	Frame	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1300	.....	1300	.....
6	Sheffield	.....	1	Stone	300	.....	.....	Stone	.....	.....	7500	800	8300	.....
7	Shelburne	1885	3	Brick	200	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	3250	.....	3250	.....
8	Sherkston	.....	4	Frame	200	Yes	Yes	Frame	Yes	Yes	3100	2000	5100	125
9	Waterloo	.....	2	Brick	350	Yes	Yes	.....	.....	.....	6300	.....	6300	80
10	Zion	.....	3	Brick	175	Yes	Yes	Brick	Yes	Yes	6300	1100	7400	.....
								Totals	.....	.....	49650	7700	57350	3280
								Last Year	.....	.....	44650	7700	52350	3380

CHURCHES--TABLE NO. 2.

CHURCH FINANCES

Local Church Purposes	Union	Prov. Fund	College	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Women's Board Missions	Other Denominational Purposes	General Benevolent Purposes	Total Raised	Increase	Decrease	Amount Missionary Grant	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
1471 01	7 00	.....	2 00	.....	105 60	127 73	29 00	4 00	1745 34	70 54	.....	.....	1
716 25	.....	.....	.....	18 34	5 17	.....	.....	.....	778 93	285 47	.....	.....	2
977 13	14 00	3 00	4 00	137 60	76 42	.....	591 01	.....	1821 44	.....	65 97	.....	3
900 92	6 00	2 00	2 00	71 50	32 00	.....	132 80	.....	1225 32	.....	216 82	175 00	4
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708 32	.....	.....	.....	20 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	708 32	188 87	.....	.....	7
546 15	6 00	1 00	1 00	82 00	64 50	.....	148 75	.....	849 40	254 93	.....	50 00	8
564 01	5 00	.....	1 00	43 75	70 00	.....	211 66	.....	895 42	.....	159 02	.....	9
1337 00	4 00	1 00	1 00	90 00	38 25	.....	36 00	35 00	1542 25	129 25	.....	.....	10
7220 79	42 00	7 00	11 00	463 49	391 94	127 73	1149 22	39 00	9566 42	929 06	441 81	225 00	
7417 03	37 50	3 00	11 00	461 04	395 16	156 71	150 70	439 14	9079 17	1047 52	222 41	425 00	

SUMMARY

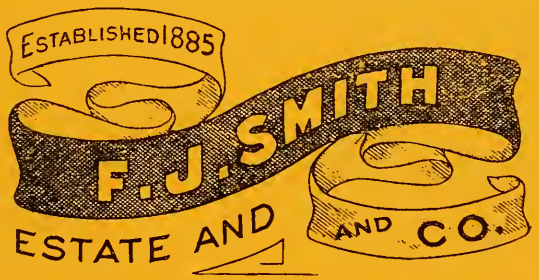
	1916	1915
Churches	$126 00	
Preaching Stations	41 00	
	$167 00	
Under Pastoral Care—		
Quebec	$7,380 00	
Eastern	2,284 00	
Toronto	5,198 00	
Western	5,120 00	
North West and British Columbia	8,029 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	2,774 00	
United Brethren	2,250 00	
Total	$33,035 00	$33,431 00
Decrease	$396 00	
Received on Profession of Faith—		
Quebec	$185 00	
Eastern	40 00	
Toronto	151 00	
Western	124 00	
North West and British Columbia	141 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	23 00	
United Brethren	59 00	
Total	$723 00	$900 00
Decrease	$177 00	
Membership—		
Quebec	$3,078 00	
Eastern	1,182 00	
Toronto	2,480 00	
Western	2,005 00	
North West and British Columbia	3,317 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	968 00	
United Brethren	1,014 00	
Total	$14,044 00	$13,658 00
Increase	$386 00	

	1916	1915
Value of Church Property—		
Quebec	$555,400 00	
Eastern	150.100 00	
Toronto	469,760 00	
Western	233,650 00	
North West and British Columbia	742,600 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	88,050 00	
United Brethren	57,350 00	
Total	$2,296,910 00	2,213,550 00
Increase	$83,360 00	
Amount Debt on Property—		
Quebec	$56,400 00	
Eastern	21,700 00	
Toronto	46,500 00	
Western	13,936 21	
North West and British Columbia	152,750 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	1,368 00	
United Brethren	3,280 00	
Total	$295,934 21	$201,800 21
Increase	$94,134 00	
Amount Raised for All Purposes:		
Quebec	$68,201 96	
Eastern	17,753 63	
Toronto	50,075 66	
Western	35,984 37	
North West and British Columbia	42,206 23	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	12,681 34	
United Brethren	9,566 42	
Total	$236,469 61	$252,634 82
Decrease	$16,165 21	
Amount Raised for Home Missions:		
Quebec	$2,228 13	
Eastern	419 89	
Toronto	2,227 71	
Western	976 59	
North West and British Columbia	302 44	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	449 93	
United Brethren	463 49	
Total	$7,068 18	$10,111 23
Decrease	$3,043 05	

	1916	1915
Amount Raised for Foreign Missions:		
Quebec	$1,800 74	
Eastern	260 94	
Toronto	1,109 07	
Western	1,302 73	
North West and British Columbia	646 87	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	342 99	
United Brethren	391 94	
Total	$5,855 28	$6,328 96
Decrease	$473 68	
Amount Raised by Women's Board, Home and Foreign:		
Quebec	$1,369 75	
Eastern	210 62	
Toronto	1,807 89	
Western	1,193 12	
North West and British Columbia	55 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	459 90	
United Brethren	127 22	
Total	$5,224 00	$6,431 74
Decrease	$1,207 74	
Amount Raised for College:		
Quebec	$1,088 71	
Eastern	57 81	
Toronto	330 59	
Western	206 99	
North West and British Columbia	121 50	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	67 17	
United Brethren	11 00	
Total	$1,883 77	$1,942 17
Decrease	$58 40	
Amount Raised for Union:		
Quebec	$442 72	
Eastern	82 12	
Toronto	216 96	
Western	214 37	
North West and British Columbia	118 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	85 26	
United Brethren	42 00	
Total	$1,201 43	$1,253 97
Decrease	$52 54	

	1916	1915
Amount Raised for Provident Fund:		
Quebec	$397 16	
Eastern	46 55	
Toronto	128 21	
Western	139 74	
North West and British Columbia	19 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	25 43	
United Brethren	7 00	
Total	$763 09	$728 39
Increase	$34 70	
Sunday School Teachers and Officers:		
Quebec	$298 00	
Eastern	113 00	
Toronto	167 00	
Western	250 00	
North West and British Columbia	188 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	106 00	
United Brethren	182 00	
Total	$1,304 00	$1,370 00
Decrease	$66 00	
Scholars on Roll:		
Quebec	$2,134 00	
Eastern	980 00	
Toronto	1,489 00	
Western	1,834 00	
North West and British Columbia	1,960 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	765 00	
United Brethren	1,160 00	
Total	$10,322 00	$10,649 00
Decrease	$327 00	
Money Raised:		
Quebec	$2,965 61	
Eastern	1,210 66	
Toronto	3,187 52	
Western	2,355 00	
North West and British Columbia	1,653 81	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	559 12	
United Brethren	538 46	
Total	$12,470 18	$13,078 66
Decrease	$608 48	

Sunday School Scholars United with Church:		
Quebec	$97 00	
Eastern	20 00	
Toronto	21 00	
Western	47 00	
North West and British Columbia	43 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	11 00	
United Brethren	16 00	
Total	$255 00	$172 00
Increase	$83 00	
Young People's Society Membership:		
Quebec	$413 00	
Eastern	135 00	
Toronto	115 00	
Western	471 00	
North West and British Columbia	186 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	181 00	
United Brethren	181 00	
Total	$1,682 00	$2,072 00
Decrease	$390 00	
Money Raised:		
Quebec	$614 61	
Eastern	293 54	
Toronto	251 62	
Western	528 17	
North West and British Columbia	540 30	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	112 50	
United Brethren	246 87	
Total	$2,587 61	$3,427 70
Decrease	$840 09	
Young People's Society, Uniting with Church:		
Quebec	$53 00	
Eastern	4 00	
Toronto	21 00	
Western	11 00	
North West and British Columbia	20 00	
Nova Scotia and New Brunswick	3 00	
United Brethren		
Total	$112 00	$121 00
Decrease	$9 00	



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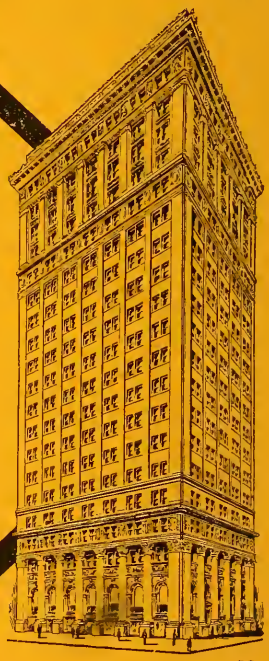

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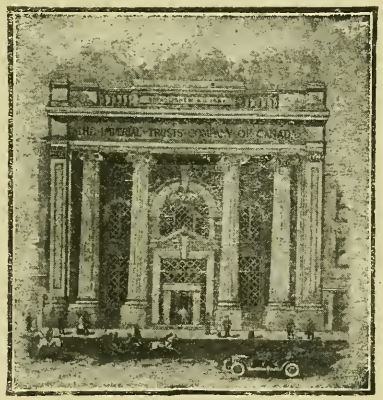

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